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Les Otten resigns from ASC; won't comment on speculation about repurchasing Sunday River and/or Sugarloaf

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Les Otten is happy to talk about baseball or golf, but mum's the word when it comes to skiing, especially the business of skiing.

On Monday Otten announced his resignation from the board of directors of the American Skiing Company, a company he founded in 1996.

The resignation was announced in a prepared statement from ASC headquarters in Park City, Utah.

"I leave the board with mixed feelings," Otten said. "It's been a pleasure to serve and help guide the Company and I wish everyone well. I truly enjoyed my tenure with the board, but now it's time to

look at other options."

Otten is refusing to comment on whether those other options include a return to the ski business.

He certainly has enough on his plate already.

He is vice chairman of the Boston Red Sox, and founder and chief executive officer of Sports Vision Technologies, a Bethel-based firm that markets a highly regarded golf simulator and analyzer.

But Otten began his entrepreneurial career in the ski business, when he purchased Sunday River in 1980, for \$840,000.

And his own silence has not

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YOUR THOUGHTS ON A SECOND COMING?

What do you think about the possibility of Les Otten returning to Sunday River? To share your thoughts with our readers, please contact The Citizen at 824-2444 (ext. 103), or by e-mail; news@bethelcitizen.com.

ASC's breakup felt here

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Whatever the future might or might not hold for Sunday River, the consequences of the American Skiing Company's recent divestitures are already being felt in Bethel.

ASC's corporate headquarters is in Park City, Utah, but a number of corporate employees work in the former GAMM building in the industrial park at the Bethel Airport. (ASC spokesman David Hirasawa puts that number at "under 30.")

The ASC departments here include information technology, retail and purchasing.

Employees in those departments were told last week that changes are in the works.

Hirasawa said the employees were not told they were being laid off.

"I know that in a lot of the conversations it's natural to use the word 'layoff,' but we're really not coming into any of these places and saying, 'Everybody's out of a job today,' Hirasawa said. "It's not a wholesale thing, and it's not something where we anticipate people losing their positions prior to the end of the ski season," he said.

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Pinned woman gets a timely lift from rescuers

By ALISON ALOISIO

Sharon Haendel of Bethel is sore. But it's a happy sore.

"I feel lucky as anything," she said, after surviving being pinned under the rear wheel of her car last week.

She escaped with only serious bruising to her arm and abdomen, thanks to the teamwork of her friends and Bethel emergency responders.

Haendel, 59, owns L'Auberge Country Inn, located behind the Bethel Fire Station. Just before noon last Thursday, she left in her 2000 Nissan sedan, driving out her uphill driveway.

But she got stuck in the

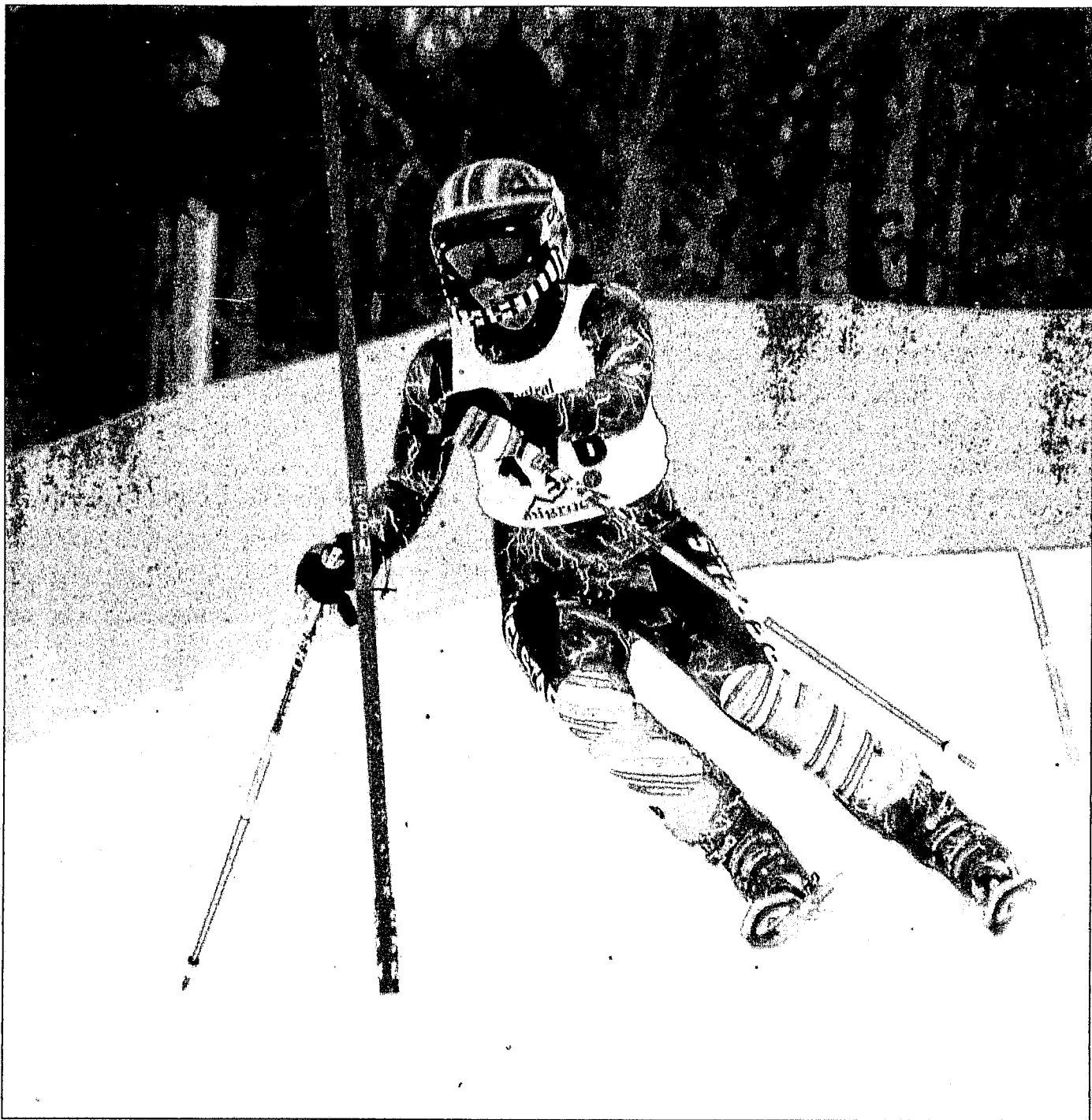
snow. She then put the car in reverse, backed up some, only to get stuck again.

Sandra Farnum, who works for Haendel, came outside, and Haendel got out of the car. Forgetting it was still in reverse, she went around to the rear to have a look.

That's when the car started moving. It knocked her to the ground and pinned her right upper body and abdomen against the snowbank.

The pain was intense. "I was able to breathe, but very short breaths. I was gasping," said

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Telstar freshman Samantha Largess led the Rebel alpine girls' ski team to the state Class C alpine championship last week at Big Rock Ski Area in Mars Hill. Largess won the individual state titles in both the slalom and giant slalom competitions. Here, she skis the slalom course.

(Photo: John Cote, Northern Exposures)

Local teams collecting titles

By ALISON ALOISIO

The Telstar High School girls' alpine ski team brought home the Class C state championship last week.

The Telstar Middle School boys did the same in Class A.

And on Saturday, the Gould Academy boys' basketball team will try to win a Class D state championship.

Skiing

Telstar, which began competing in Class C last year,

after many years in Class A, took three of the four individual championships in the boys' and girls' slalom and giant slalom events.

Freshman Samantha Largess won both the slalom and GS titles. In giant slalom, Rebel girls took the first three places.

Telstar beat out eight other schools for the alpine championship. They included Green-

ville, Fort Kent, Freeport, Central Aroostook, John Bapst, Livermore Falls, Madawaska and Mattanawcook Academy.

On the boys' side, Telstar's Frankie Delduca won the slalom championship, as the team finished third overall in the alpine competition.

TMS winners

The Telstar Middle School

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Developer faces charge of criminal threatening

By MICHAEL DANIELS

A Bethel contractor and developer has a date in court following an angry outburst in the town manager's office.

Rick Savage, 42, co-owner of Savage Land Development LLC, was charged by the Bethel Police Department with criminal threatening. He is scheduled to be arraigned on April 3 in Rumford District Court.

According to Bethel Town Manager Scott Cole, Savage came into his office on Feb. 13 to complain about the town's having contacted the Maine Department of Environmental Protection with questions regarding a stump dump Savage's company is operating on Vernon Street.

"At first he seemed reasonable. I thought we were going to have a conversation," Cole said.

But, according to Cole's account of the events that followed, Savage quickly became very angry and began shouting that the town was harassing him and threatening his business.

Throughout the remaining 10 minutes Savage was in the office, he was shouting, swearing and insulting the town

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Town Meetings Begin

Newry municipal budget tops \$1 million

By ALISON ALOISIO

The purchase of a new fire truck and a contribution to help Bethel improve its skate-board park are among the issues Newry voters will consider at Monday's Town Meeting.

The proposed municipal budget totals \$1.09 million, up approximately \$250,000 from last year.

Selectmen are recommending that \$350,000 be taken from the Surplus Account to offset taxes.

Much of the budget increase stems from the cost (\$350,000) of a new pumper truck for the Fire Department.

Selectmen are asking voters to raise \$225,000, which would be combined with \$125,000

from the Fire Department Capital Reserve Account to buy the truck.

The 2,500-gallon capacity truck would replace two older ones, a 1980 Ford pumper and a 1969 Maxim tanker/pumper.

Fire Department officials said the older trucks are still usable, but do not meet insur-

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Waterford wonders if Whizzer Wheeler will attempt to return by write-in route

By G.E. TWINE

Some Waterford residents are concerned that incumbent selectman, Whizzer Wheeler, although he is not officially on the ballot, will be re-elected by write-in votes.

Only one candidate, John

Bell, has officially taken out papers to run for selectman, and opponents of Wheeler are concerned that without a contest on the ballot some voters might not vote at all — opening the way for a second write-in victory by Wheeler supporters.

Wheeler has had a fiery three years on the board. Con-

tention with some residents over issues such as removal of an unused boathouse, how property taxes are levied and the management of the transfer station caused a group of residents to circulate a petition this summer to remove him from office.

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Mahoosuc Arts presents Shakespeare's tragic love story **Romeo & Juliet** Mar. 9 at 7:00 PM By The Theater at Monmouth Bingham Hall, Gould Academy \$8 Adults/\$4 students Door Call 824-3575 FMI & tickets

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More Info, Call Scott at 836-2616 or Jim at 824-3220

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New York Comedy Club Acts

Mar. 10 - Bethel Inn Doors Open 8:30 pm - Show 9 with Local Daughter, Leah Bonnama & Headliner, Dustin Chafin with an Amateur Joke Contest *subject matter includes explicit raw comedy - 21 years & over* Tickets: \$10 pp, one drink min. FMI 824-3575 Mahoosuc Arts & The Bethel Inn Resort

Letters

DISMAYED BY CRITICISM

To the Editor:
This letter cannot begin to express my sincere dismay, and disbelief at the written attacks against The Gideon Hastings House and its appearance, and consequently I feel personally upset for its owner, John Amann, as well.
Whether or not the custom-made neon signs are allowed in the Historic District is up to the Planning Board, but to suggest that The Gideon Hastings House is trashy, inappropriate, or a harbinger for slum-type businesses to come is ludicrous and insulting. When I first gazed upon the renovated and restored building that is now The Gideon Hastings House, I took photos of its architectural details in hopes of acquiring inspiration for my own home's design, intrigued by its "genius loci," or, in other words, its "sense of place."

Many dollars, time, attention to detail, and elbow grease have gone into that Labor of Love, making it what I feel to be hands-down the classiest place in town. One does not need an eye for moldings, columns, and rooflines to see what a beauty and an accomplishment The Gideon Hastings House is.

Not only has John done an amazing job with the building and businesses housed at 22 Broad Street, he has given of himself and his resources to help raise funds for our resurrected football program, not to mention various other fundraising efforts for our local schools that he has generously supported. He is a model citizen, a paradigm of a business owner, and has more savior-faire in his pinky finger than most of us have collectively.

I admire him, as I feel he is open and honest, is a wonderful host, has a purist flair that is unique to him, and I appreciate the atmosphere that he generates.

I hope The Gideon Hastings House at 22 Broad Street is a beacon of things to come, not an example of what Bethel should steer clear of. Thank you John for creating such a warm and welcoming place and for being an active part of our community. We are lucky to have you and I am glad that you are here.

Loretta L. Holt
Bethel

ODE TO PAUL REVERE

To the Editor:
Ode to Paul Revere. One if by land/Two, if by sea/Three, if on Broad Street/For the whole world to see.

Tom and Betty Burke
Bethel

A BAD IDEA FOR WEST PARIS

To the Editor:
This is in reference to Article 11: "An ordinance to make Adult Marijuana-Related Offenses the Lowest Law Enforcement Priority in the Town of West Paris." Our major concern is how this complex four-page ordinance could affect our town.

Part 1 of this proposed ordinance assumes that a town can create its own laws. That is simply not the case. A town ordinance cannot override state and federal laws. The local Sheriff's Department enforces laws, not town ordinances. If the Maine Marijuana Initiative (the initiators of this proposed ordinance) wants to change the law, they should go through the proper legislative channels. Why use West Paris as a guinea pig in their attempt to make major changes in marijuana laws?

Part 2 of this ordinance mandates how our town would transmit notification of the enactment of this ordinance to state and federal officials and would prove to be costly to our town.

Part 3 (the most comprehensive part) of this ordinance mandates how this ordinance will be enforced by town officials. The ordinance says a Community Oversight Committee shall be appointed to oversee the implementation of this ordinance. It tells who this committee will be comprised of and that their job will be to design and implement a supplement report form which will be used, in our mind, to "police" the police. According to this ordinance, this committee will "determine whether the West Paris law enforcement officer's or officers' actions were consistent with the lowest law enforcement priority policy." If not, a lawsuit may follow. Do we want to leave our town open to potential lawsuits?

Further, this ordinance mandates that the town of West Paris will not accept any funds from any source (state, federal or private), which would be used to investigate, cite, arrest, or seize property from adults for marijuana-related offenses.

The extensive paperwork involved in enforcing this ordinance will be costly to West Paris. Our town will have costs: composing, editing, printing, and mailing the required letters to encourage marijuana be legalized. We pay for it.

This is a bad ordinance for our town. Our group of concerned citizens likes the small town feel our town has and does not want to be on the forefront of a national movement aimed at legalizing marijuana. Our opinion is we are the ones getting smoked.

Citizens against Article 11: Dian Rainey, Sandra Poland, Ken Poland, Nancy Penley, Wayne Penley, MaryAnn Brown, Diane Courbron, Scott Courbron, Sylvia McCann, Richard McCann, Bertha DeHaas, Joyce Hathaway, Ellsworth Hathaway, Natalie Coffin, Emily Robinson, Charmaine Penley, Albert Penley, Jr., Fern Bean, Carmen Hadley, Barbara Edmunds, Sandra Poland

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GET OUT AND VOTE, WATERFORD

To the Editor:
To the Citizens of Waterford: Since Mr. "Whizzer" Wheeler's second chance at office after his resignation last fall, he has done nothing to restore the faith of its citizens. He has refused to address problems brought before him as a selectman. He has brought the town further into a quagmire of legal problems. The disrespect he has shown his citizens has become even more outrageous. He has let down those who believed in him and further disillusioned those, who questioned his actions.

Is history about to repeat itself? "Whizzer" is again protesting that his wife is experiencing emotional trauma as a result of his presence in office. He has continued to bad-mouth the people of Waterford and again publicly stated that he would be glad to be out of office. This time, however, when asked if he would accept another write-in candidacy, he stated that it was none of our business.

On his "last" selectmen's meeting on Feb. 19, "Whizzer" spent most of the meeting outlining what he felt should be done in Waterford. His comments were detailed and his opinions were forceful. He had some good ideas as well as some not so good. His gusto and fervor sounded very much like a campaign speech.

Why is the status of his willingness to run for office on another write-in campaign none of the public's business? Is he relying on the people of Waterford to assume there is only one candidate, not bother to vote, and therefore again win by write-in votes?

Voting is a privilege and responsibility that our forefathers have fought and died for. It is a privilege that thousands continue to struggle and die for each and every day. We have come to a point in this world where we can no longer ignore our responsibility to keep ourselves informed on what is going on around us, and must exercise our privilege and responsibility to vote. We all live busy and complicated lives but, sadly, our world is shaped as much by those who sit at home and do nothing as it is by those who get out and vote.

I urge the people of Waterford to get out and vote. Election Day is Friday, March 2 from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the Waterford town office with Town Meeting the following Saturday, March 3. Don't take the attitude that your opinion doesn't count. That happens only when you don't express it. Go to the polls and vote!

Mary DeLorenzo
Waterford

TIME FOR NEW LEADERSHIP

To the Editor:
I'm concerned for what is happening to our little town of Waterford. I have lived here 19 years and have always thought it was a place that I would like to spend the rest of my life. The surroundings, the people, and the friendship that I have gained have been of great value to me.
Lately, a few of our town officials have not been acting very professional and friendly to the folks of this town. I feel it is time for some new leadership to lead this town to a different way of life where the citizens get a say and are able to give their opinion to our selectmen and receive a positive feedback, or at least a thank you for our concern.

When you go to any of the Town Meetings there seems to always be a great deal of confrontation between the official and the citizens. This rude behavior is unfair and uncalled for. Whatever happened to dignity and respect? How dare our officials sit there and call residents bald-faced liars and ingrates? All of the citizens who go to the Town Meetings at least are concerned and have a valued opinion.

With this all being said, it is time for our town to have a change of selectman. I feel that John Bell will help positively with this new change. Bring dignity and respect back to the town. Vote for John Bell, March 2 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.

David Hart Sr.
Waterford

GOULD BASKETBALL THANKS

To the Editor:
As citizens of Bethel, and on behalf of the Gould Varsity Boys' Basketball team, we would like to thank everyone in Telstar and in the town of Bethel for supporting us this season. We hope you will come out in full force again to the Bangor Auditorium this Saturday at 3 p.m. or watch the game online in streaming video. We hope to bring the title home to Gould and to Bethel.
Thanks again for your support.

Tyler and Evan Bruens
For the Gould Academy Boys' Basketball team

Newry

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ance standards for pumping capacity.

The request is for a new truck because used ones are not available in 2,500-gallon capacity, fire officials said.

They also said a new pumper would be the last big purchase needed for some time.

Park, shuttle
Voters will also decide whether to raise \$10,000 to help Bethel improve its skateboard park. A committee overseeing the project requested \$25,000 from Newry.

The total cost of the upgrade is estimated between \$150,000 and \$200,000.

A new warrant item this year, if approved, would be \$5,000 to help support the Mountain Explorer Shuttle bus service.

In past years, the cost has been paid entirely through state funds. But not as much is available for this year, town officials said, so a subsidy is needed from the town.

Voters will also be asked to

raise \$68,781 toward debt service on the NFD's ladder truck, and also apply \$5,580 from the Ladder Truck Account to the debt.

Last year the entire payment was made from the truck account, Administrative Assistant Loretta Powers said.

Regular big-ticket accounts that will see increases this year include Administration, \$182,420 (\$129,945 last year); Sanitation, \$169,354 (\$163,520); and Highways and Bridges, \$97,500 (\$87,500).

The administration account includes funds for raises and for the recent hiring of David Bonney as full-time code enforcement officer.

The town had previously contracted with Bethel for eight hours a week of CEO service, Powers said.

The increase in development in Newry prompted selectmen to add hours to the job, she said.

Going down is Public Safety, \$86,513 (\$96,629).

The recommended amount

to be raised for Highway Capital Improvement Account will hold steady at \$75,000.

Selectmen had considered increasing the amount this year in anticipation of proposed improvements to the Sunday River Road. But bids for the work will not come in until today (Thursday), so selectmen decided to wait for that information and call a special Town Meeting later to deal with the question.

Voters will also elect a selectman, school director and constable/dog officer.

Selectman Steve Wight will run again, but he has said he does not wish to serve as chairman.

Alan Fleet's term as constable/dog officer is up. One school director will also be elected, but which seat is up had not been determined by press time.

The 7 p.m. meeting, to be held at the Grange Hall, will be preceded by the traditional 5:30 p.m. potluck supper.

Waterford

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Citing personal reasons, Wheeler instead resigned. But when a special election was held to fill the vacant position, he received enough write-in votes to win against three people.

"If people do a write-in campaign [and re-elect you], are you going to refuse?" said Waterford resident Mary DeLorenzo at the February 5, selectmen's meeting.

"I am not running," answered Wheeler.

"People have asked me if I was going to run and I just said, 'No thank you,'" she continued. "Is that what you are saying, 'No thank you?'"

"I have not said, 'No thank you,' I have said that I am not running," Wheeler said. "And I have not taken out papers. Quite frankly with the kind of behavior that I've been subjected to, I think the town of Waterford can do something that I am not allowed to say in public. I have no thought of trying to help the town whatsoever after the behavior of a very few people."

"So I'm not going to answer that question — it's my personal business and not yours," Wheeler said. "I'm not obligat-

ed to answer. You have a democratic right and you can vote for whomever you want."

DeLorenzo said that if people saw one name on the ballot some would not vote.

"If there was a write-in for you again, you might be elected by default," she said. "I think it's an honest thing to do, to step forward and share with us if you would accept the position."

At the Feb. 19 meeting, Wheeler announced that it would be his last meeting. He then read a list of suggestions for future selectmen.

The only official candidate for selectman, John Bell, said he is not at odds with Wheeler.

"I don't think Mr. Wheeler and I disagree on many things in terms of his to do list," Bell said during an interview. "What I have a problem with is the way he handles people. It is his handling of some of the small issues we've had. If they were handled differently they would not have become the big issues that we have now. I think that is his weakness, otherwise he is a very smart man and well-qualified. I believe that he had good in-

tentions. Unfortunately he got bogged down in some issues because, maybe, he lacked people skills to resolve these things.

"In regard to the Bear Mountain Inn [in litigation with the town over its property taxes]," said Bell, citing one issue, "I don't want to make a statement because I've only heard one side, the Bear Mountain side. And I really don't know all the facts on the selectmen's side."

Bell said if elected he would form a taxation committee to look at property-tax options and what surrounding towns are doing. The committee would then come to selectmen with a list of ideas.

"Selectmen would then narrow them down and we also will look at what Mr. Wheeler has worked on," Bell said.

On Saturday voters will convene to take up the remaining articles on a 94-article warrant.

They will also vote on a proposed town budget of \$1,116,000, up \$108,386 from the preceding year's budget.

Included in the budget is a proposal to spend \$200,000 for a new fire truck.

Our Back Pages

Compiled by Danna Brown Nickerson
10 years ago: Cash price for heating oil at C. N. Brown was 98.9¢ per gallon.

The U.S. Postal Service announced that the Mary Morin property on the Sunday River Road was under consideration as the site for Newry's new post office.

Stephen T. Seames was elected president of the Col. Henshaw Chapter, Massachusetts Sons of the American Revolution.

Deaths: Frances G. Bennett, Wilfred G. Conary, Jr., Frederick J. McMillin, Philip H. Milligan, Marion W. Abbott, Ida Jane Lurvey.

20 years ago: The town of Bethel purchased a Sidewalk Bombardier for clearing snow from the town sidewalks.

The paper recycling shed at the Greenwood-Woodstock Transfer Station was formally opened for business, accepting both newspapers and magazines.

The Telstar girls cross-country ski team placed third in the state Class A ski meet at Dixmont.

Birth: Kayla Marie Brown.

Death: Arlene B. Cushman.

30 years ago: Dr. Stephen J. Garbarini opened a family chiropractic office on Paradise Road.

Stan Howe gave an illustrated talk on the history of Bethel at the monthly meeting of Bethel Lodge 97.

The Shaw Brothers served at hosts for the Bethel Winter Carnival Queen Coronation Program, and performed several numbers during the evening.

Birth: Chad Donald Morgan.

Deaths: Mrs. Nina Philbrick, Mrs. Jessamine M. Gould, Mrs. Sara F. Saunders, Walter J. Cherry.

40 years ago: More than 20 Boy Scouts of Troop 565 and their leaders made an overnight hike on Farwell Mountain.

The directors of SAD44 voted to accept the bid of Brown Construction, Inc. of Portland to build the new junior-senior high school.

A portion of the West Bethel Flat Road near the Cleveland Lovejoy home, and the road to the Smith farm were closed to traffic due to high wind and drifting snow.

Birth: James Willard Fee-ney.

Deaths: Terrence R. Hathaway, Archie Farnum.

50 years ago: Rev. Clifford Laws became the pastor of the West Parish Congregational Church.

Edmund C. Smith of Bethel was appointed to the County Committee of the Farmers Home Administration to serve in Oxford County.

The Crooked River Outing Club in North Waterford held its 20th annual Winter Carnival.

Birth: Lillian Katherine Doughty.

Death: Leon M. Kilgore.

60 years ago: Warren Blake's garage and welding shop on Cross Street were burned. Loss was estimated at \$8,500.

Bethel Budget Committee held a five-hour meeting — probably the longest in over 30 years. A second meeting was scheduled to continue discussions.

70 years ago: The Bethel budget recommendations for consideration totaled \$50,849.78.

Anton Mainente, head of the music department at Gould Academy, was honored with the title of Officer of the French Academy. The honor was in recognition of and gratitude for his "remarkable activity in music generally and especially in French music."

Deaths: Tilson B. Burk, William Kierstead.

80 years ago: Announcement was made that the store of Ira C. Jordan on Main Street was to close. The store had been operated by Mr. Jordan and son Harry since 1890.

Arthur Herrick and family moved to their new home on Vernon Street.

100 years ago: Comedy Star Company entertained at Bethel last week.

Snowshoeing was very popular with the younger set in Bethel.

Death: Charles Abbott of West Bethel historical Society.

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Briefly

Former ACO sentenced

PORTLAND—Everett Chase of Greenwood has been sentenced to 10 years in federal prison for being a felon in possession of ammunition, U.S. District Attorney Paula D. Silsby announced Tuesday. Chase, 46, was a former animal control officer for several local towns. He had prior convictions of unlawful sexual assault and burglary when he was arrested Feb. 26, 2006, after a police chase. An antique firearm and several rounds of ammunition were recovered by police. Last November Chase pleaded guilty to being in possession of ammunition and last November was given the maximum sentence for the offense. He still faces charges in state court stemming from the Feb. 26 arrest, when police say he kidnapped his estranged wife in the presence of their six children, assaulted her and threatened her life with a handgun.

Camp Susan Curtis office burns

STONEHAM—The office building of Camp Susan Curtis was destroyed by fire Tuesday night. The 30-by-30-foot, one-story structure was fully involved when firefighters arrived. There were no injuries. The camp, founded in 1974 by Gov. Kenneth Curtis, provides a tuition-free camp experience for Maine's economically disadvantaged children.

Registration for youth hockey

BRIDGTON—Western Maine Youth hockey is holding early registration for next season. The organization includes youngsters ages 6 to 14 from Oxford Hills, Lake Region, Fryeburg and Telstar areas. Registration will be March 6 and 8 from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Bridgton Ice Arena, located on the Bridgton Academy campus. For more information call 743-1972 or e-mail tonkka@netscape.com.

Chamber seeks awards nominees

BETHEL—Each year the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce recognize deserving community servants, a Bethel area business that has made significant strides in the past year, a Forest Products Industry entrepreneur, four excellent employees who have made extraordinary contributions to their workplaces and three graduating students. The Awards Committee of the Chamber is currently seeking nominations for these awards. Anyone may submit a nomination, although the employee awards must be done by the individual's employer or supervisor. Nomination forms, as well as descriptions of the individual awards, are available at the Chamber of Commerce office, or by calling 824-2282. Nominations are open until Friday, April 6 and should be sent to Annual Awards, c/o Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 1247, Bethel, ME 04217. On Friday, May 11, the 38th annual Chamber of Commerce Awards Dinner & Silent Auction will be held at the Grand Summit Hotel at Sunday River Ski Resort.

UNH, Attitash, Jackson host NCAAs

BARTLETT, NH—The nation's finest collegiate ski racers will head to Mount Washington Valley on March 7-10 for the 54th Annual NCAA Ski Championships hosted by the University of New Hampshire and Attitash in Bartlett, New Hampshire. Attitash is the venue for the alpine events and the Jackson Ski Touring Center is the site of the Nordic competitions. "The Giant Slalom, March 8 and the Slalom, March 10 will be held on Illusion on the Bear Peak side of the resort. The Nordic events will be held on March 7 and March 9 out of the Jackson Ski Touring Center.

The dangers of 'skimming'

PORTLAND—While a snowmobile may make a poor boat, two men who encountered open water while racing across Maine's second-largest lake managed to ride their machines across the icy water to save themselves, wardens said Monday. The episode unfolded when three riders zooming across the frozen lake encountered a wide swath of open water over the weekend. One of the riders was missing and presumed drowned after his snowmobile sank Saturday night, but the other two riders made it to safety, said Mark Latti, spokesman for the Maine Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife. The story that the survivors told shocked game wardens. The distance one of them traveled was 2.5 to three miles, said Sgt. Tim Spahr, the investigating game warden. "It's staggering when you look at it—how far this guy went on a snowmobile over open water," he said. While snowmobiles aren't designed for water, it's widely known that they're capable of riding across the water's surface for short distances, a practice known among riders as skimming or skipping. The trick, riders say, is to maintain speed so that the belt that drives the snowmobile becomes something of a paddle wheel. But it's an extremely dangerous practice. Make a wrong move or let off the throttle and the snowmobile will sink like a rock. After all, modern, high-powered machines are not lightweight. Some of them weigh close to 500 pounds. "In theory, it does work. But it's certainly not a situation that anyone wants to find themselves in," Bob Meyers, executive director of the Maine Snowmobile Association, said Monday from his office in Augusta. Skimming was outlawed by the Maine Legislature in 2003, but the practice continues on lakes and ponds across the country. Videos of snowmobiles scooting across open water are posted on YouTube and other Internet sites. In some states, there are competitions in the summer, when the water is not dangerously cold, to see who can skim the farthest. Wardens say the three men from Maine and Massachusetts who were riding Saturday night on Sebago Lake didn't intend to ride on open water. The two survivors told wardens that they were zooming at 40 mph to 60 mph along a trail across the frozen surface of lake, which is a 20-mile drive from Portland, when they were surprised to run out of ice and hit open water. At that point, they did the only thing they could do: They gunned the throttle for a white-knuckled ride across the water, Spahr said. Jonathan Herbster of Bedford, Mass., traveled up to a mile and came ashore at Sebago Lake State Park, Spahr said. And Gary Huntley of Oxford, kept on chugging across the dark lake until he reached safety up to three miles later, Spahr said. After their harrowing rides, the two men could find no sign of the third snowmobiler, Paul Blanco of Carlisle, Mass., Spahr said. Divers found his snowmobile in 30 feet of water on Sunday but were still searching for Blanco's body.

2007 March Town Meetings

Town	Date	Time	Location
Andover	Sat. 3/17	9 a.m.	Town Hall
Gilead	Sat. 3/31	7 p.m.	Town Hall
Greenwood	Sat. 3/31	10 a.m.*	Town Hall
Newry	Mon. 3/5	7 p.m.**	Grange Hall
Upton	Thur. 3/8	7 p.m.	Schoolhouse
West Paris	Sat. 3/3	10 a.m.	Agnes Gray
Waterford	Sat. 3/3***	9 a.m.	Mncpl. Bldg.
Woodstock	Mon. 3/26	7 p.m..	W.E.S.

*Lunch served at noon. * Potluck at 5:30. ***Voting for officers: Friday, 3/3, 9 a.m.- 8 p.m., municipal building.

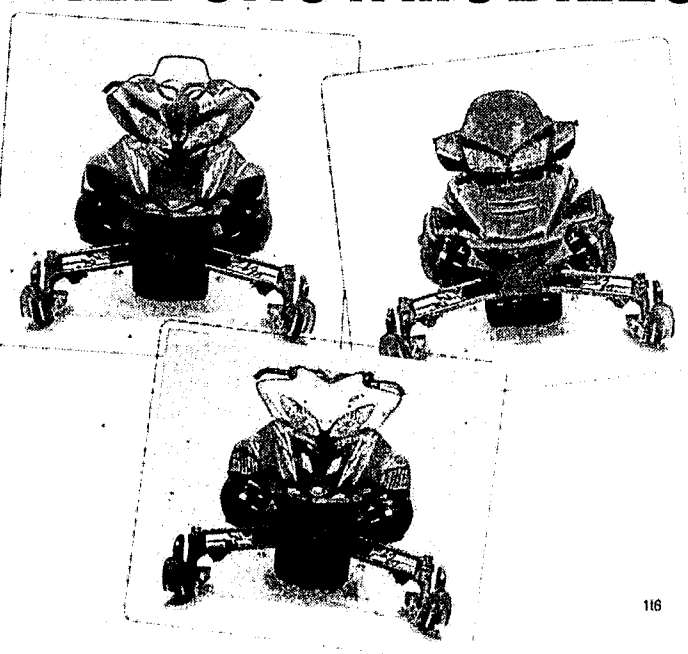
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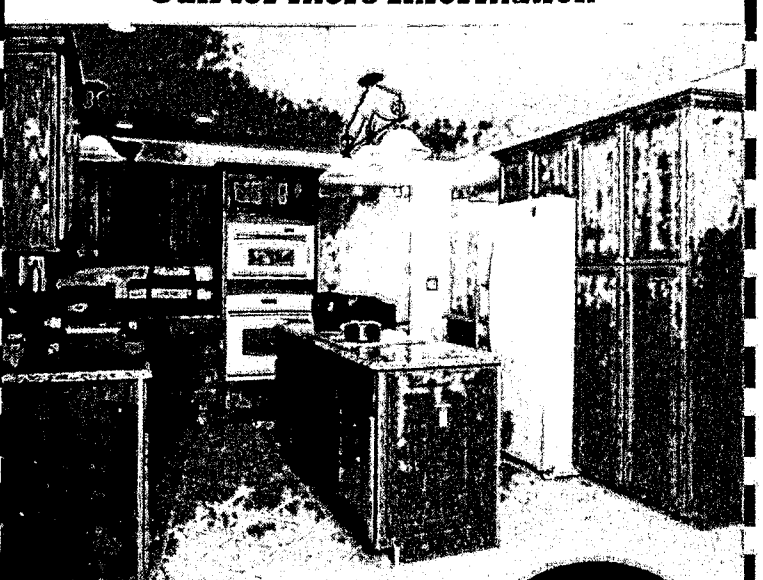
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Teams

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boys' alpine ski team also won a state title, in Class A.

The Rebels edged out Mountain Valley and defeated seven other teams in slalom and giant slalom races held at Titcomb and Spruce mountains.

For the girls, the Rebels' Meghan Costello won the individual giant slalom title.

In overall results (alpine and cross-country combined), the boys' and girls' teams both finished second.

For complete individual results in the high and middle school alpine and cross-country championships, see page 11.

Gould in an upset

Last Saturday, Gould Academy defeated Richmond 50-42 to win the Western Class D basketball championship, held at the Augusta Civic Center.

The #2-ranked Huskies upset top-ranked Richmond, which was led by 6-10 center Mark Zaharchuk.

The Gould scoring was led by forward Seth Gray, who had 16 points, including four three-pointers.

Other Gould scorers included Tyler Bruens, Evan Bruens, T.L. Tutor, Ian Siekman and Scott Baribeau.

The Huskies will play Deer Isle Stonington on Saturday for the state title.

The game will take place at the Bangor Auditorium. It will be broadcast on Channel 10.

For more on last Saturday's game, see the Gould Academy column on page 10.

ASC

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Chip Carey, ASC's vice president for marketing and sales, said that "in some cases" displaced employees will be offered jobs elsewhere in the company, "if they have a skill set that complements the needs of any of the resorts." (ASC has three remaining resorts: Sunday River and Sugarloaf/USA in Maine, and the Canyons in Utah.)

The recent corporate changes are not likely to directly affect Sunday River employees," Hirasawa said.

"The resort is already running in a lean manner, and we don't anticipate any effect there at all," he said.

Lease income at risk?

The GAMM building is owned by the town of Bethel, and ASC pays \$63,900 a year to lease it. The current lease is for four years — from Sept. 1, 2006 to Aug. 31, 2010.

Income from the lease represents roughly 55 percent of the total airport annual revenue (this year budgeted at \$115,590).

This year the Bethel Airport Authority has budgeted \$91,000 for airport expenses.

If ASC were to close up shop here and walk away from the lease, the BAA would have to find a way to either replace the lease revenue or cut expenses at the airport.

Scott Cole, Bethel town (and airport) manager said the authority has not yet discussed the possible implications of the latest ASC developments.

But, he said, the situation "is certain to be discussed at next meeting, which is March 7."

Otten

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quieted speculation that he is planning a return — by attempting to buy back one or both of ASC's two remaining eastern resorts, Sunday River and Sugarloaf/USA.

For its part, ASC is unquestionably in a selling mode.

ASC went public a decade ago and grew to become the nation's largest alpine ski company with resorts from Maine to California. But with the rapid expansion came a mounting debt load that strained the company's financial resources.

ASC's stock price fell from its initial public offering of \$18 a share to less than 20 cents a share, and the company was eventually delisted from the New York Stock Exchange, losing its coveted SKI ticker symbol.

To pay off its debt, the company in recent months has been selling off its properties.

In December it announced it was selling the Steamboat ski resort in Colorado for \$265 million in cash. This month it agreed to sell Killington, Mount Snow and Pico resorts in Vermont and Attitash in New Hampshire for a combined \$157 million.

Prior to those sales being announced, they had been the source of much speculation in the ski industry, according to Rick Kahl, editor of Ski Area Management trade magazine.

And now it's no surprise that the focus has turned to Sugarloaf and Sunday River. "There's a lot of speculation that they could be sold," Kahl said.

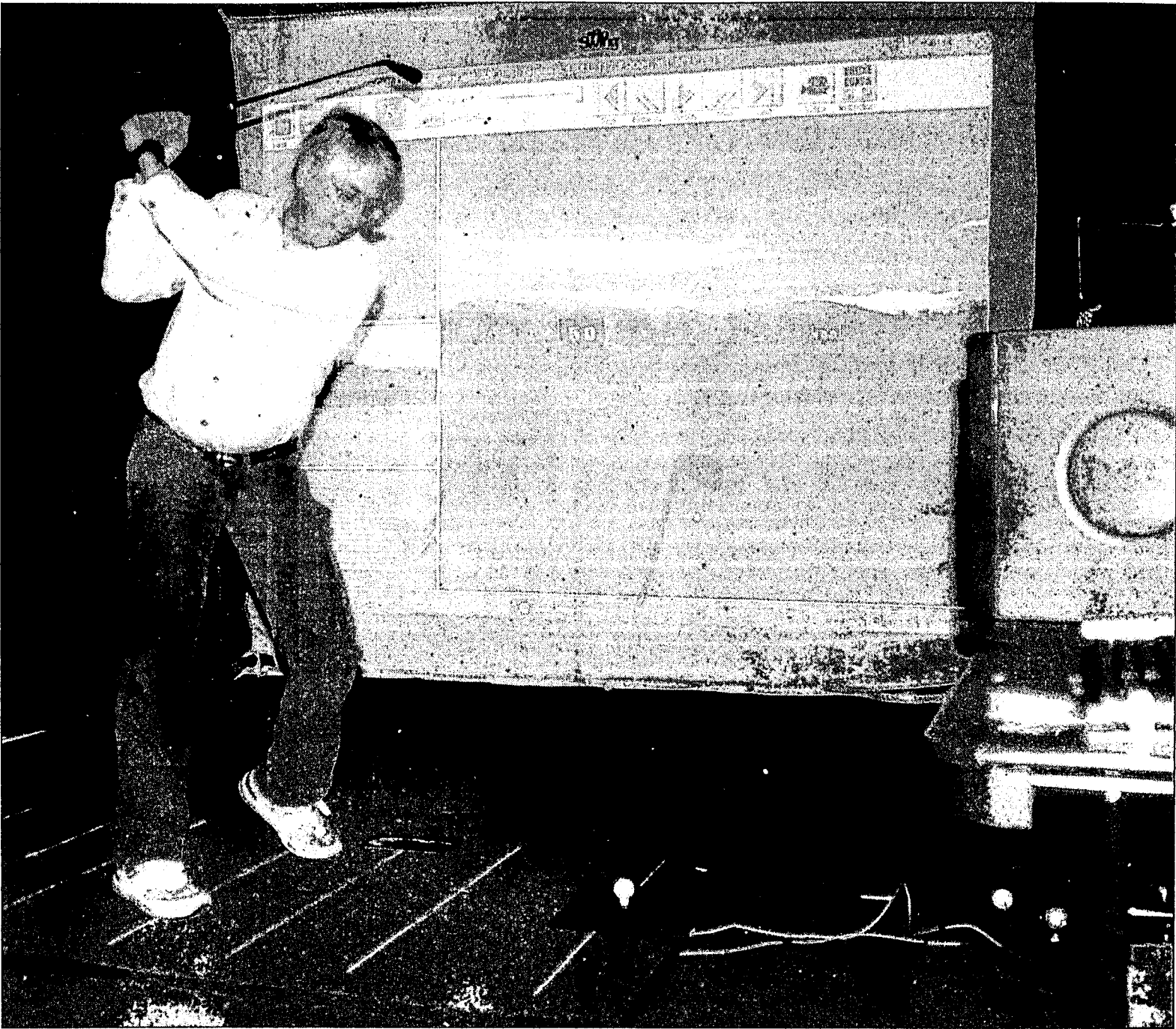
The two properties should be an attractive package to the right buyer, because of their geographic proximity and shared business activities, said Bill Stenger, who has worked in the ski industry for 35 years and is president of Jay Peak Resort in Vermont.

The dismantling of ASC should be beneficial for the resorts that are being sold, because profits can be put back into the businesses rather than to pay off debt, he said.

"I think the breakup of the assets is the best thing that can happen to those areas," Stenger said.

"The next question is whether Sunday River and Sugarloaf will be sold off."

And if so, to whom?



FORE! Les Otten demonstrates the high-tech P3ProSwing golf simulator and swing analyzer market by his Bethel company, Sports Vision Technologies. The units cost from \$639 to more than \$11,000. More than 5,000 have been sold worldwide. (Photo: M. Daniels)

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The Way I See It

by Sharon Bouchard

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Now that we are in the middle of winter with the cold and snow and long dark nights, I think it is a good time to start working on that bathing suit body for summer. And what a perfect time it is too, with such a great assortment of low fat foods and body slimming devices available.

It has been many, many years since I have had to urge to humiliate myself by wearing a bathing suit. I have always felt that some things, like the number of dimples in my thighs, are better to remain a mystery. Now, I'm starting to realize that I'm missing out on a lot of summer fun by sitting on a beach towel in my sweat pants and turtleneck.

I know I will never become a physical fitness nut, but I have made a positive decision to get in shape. I don't ever expect to be one of the California hard body beauty types, but that's okay. At my age, just controlling some of the sag would be fine. I don't want to be in a geriatric beauty contest, I just want to be able to put on a bathing suit and stroll along the beach without the whale watch boats coming by.

In an effort to reach this goal, I recently purchased one of those platform step-up exercise programs. This device is nothing more than a solid plastic step that adjusts from a 3" level to an 8" level and comes with a workout video that instructs you in the fine art of "stepping up".

When I first saw this in one of the stores, I thought to myself, "Wow. I can do that, anyone can step up and down; it's so simple." Simple in theory — yes, simple in practice — no way! Nowhere in the video or the instructions does it tell you that this program requires the same amount of stamina that it takes to

run the Boston Marathon. I should have been tipped off by the fact that no one in the video has a single ounce of body fat. In fact, I don't even know anyone who looks like these people.

A great deal of determination and a strong desire to fit into summer clothes has forced me to keep at it in spite of the passing out. I am proud to say that I can now get through the entire beginners program on the 3" level without the oxygen mask.

Once I reached a point without having to call 911, I decided it was time to graduate to the 8" level. Let me tell you, 8" is all the difference in the world; it might as well be 5". Not only do I pant and wheeze and my legs feel like lead weights with each step, I keep falling off the gosh darn thing. I intend to keep at it on this level in spite of the pain, one step at a time. I am convinced that by mid-summer I will be able to make it all the way through the warm-up.

As well as the exercise thing, I plan to work on the diet thing too (I know you've all heard that before). I'm going to eat nothing but reduced calorie, reduced fat meals that now flood the frozen food cases at the supermarkets. I've eaten some of these frozen dinners before and some of them are pretty darn good. So good in fact, that four or five of them

would make a nice meal. Some, on the other hand, are so bad that one meal is more than anyone can eat. There are soups that taste like cardboard, breakfast drinks that taste like chalk and some meals that don't taste like anything at all.

There are even snack foods for the weight conscious. I think what makes these okay is not that there are so different from other snack foods, but because they are pre-measured with only 5 pieces of whatever. For me, having pre-measured portions is good because I can't be trusted with giant economy size packages of anything. I can eat just a little of something like potato chips, and then put the away. But then, just when I think I have control, the package starts calling out to me, "Sharon, I'm here in the cupboard waiting for you, come and get me. I taste sooooo good." What can I do, the only way to shut it up is to eat it!

I've gone through all of this before and I have the exercise equipment to prove it. My exercise cycle is one of the best purchases I've ever made. I have a shortage of closet space and the handlebars are just right for hanging shirts and blouses. I have a state-of-the-art rowing machine that amuses my grandsons for hours.

Yes, I have been through all of this before, but this time it's different. I have resolve, I have commitment, I have determination and I have will power.

So, the way I see it, you can just look for me at the beach this summer. I won't be hard to find; I'll be the one sitting on a step-up platform wearing the sweat pants and turtleneck drinking a low fat milkshake.

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Super Crossword 'Spaghetti Western'

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manager, according to Cole's account.

At one point, Cole said, Savage threatened to "kick my ass" if anyone from the town contacted the state again.

According to the town manager, Savage then came around Cole's desk, stood less than 12 inches in front of him and began shaking a fist within inches of his face.

Throughout the confrontation, Cole said, he (Cole) tried to remain as calm as possible, in order not to incite Savage

further.

"I was terrified," Cole said. As Savage left, Cole said, he made threats about suing Cole and having him fired from his job.

He also warned that the Bethel police ought to "watch out" and refrain from harassing his trucks or his men.

Savage declined to comment for this article, other than to say he planned to take up the matter with town selectmen next week.

Rescue

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anyone what it was like lying there and looking up at the sky."

Farnum got into the car, put it in park, and put her foot on the brake.

Her daughter-in-law, Sandra Farnum, also works at L'Auberge. She called 911, then tried to lift up on the car to relieve the pressure on Haendel.

It helped a little, said Haendel.

Meanwhile, Bethel Police Chief Alan Carr, in his cruiser at the bottom of Main Street, got the radio call. He was on the scene in less than a minute. And he was just the man for the job.

Carr was a National Powerlifting Champion gold medal winner in 2001, and he still trains for competitions. He has lifted 440 pounds in a dead lift.

Carr reached under the corner of the Nissan, he said, "and pulled it up to the top of the shocks," so Haendel could breathe easier.

She was also able to move her leg out of the way.

Carr estimated he held the vehicle up less than a minute until firefighters and rescue personnel arrived to help, but it seemed longer.

"I had to let it down once," he said. "She cried out, and I picked it up again immediately. Then the others arrived."

Firefighters Mike Bennett, Mark McPherson, Tom Gibbs and Capt. Frank Buiniskas helped Carr lift the back of the vehicle and slide it sideways away from Haendel.

Bethel Rescue's Glenn Prescott, Arlene Greenleaf, David Hanscom and Robert Hop-

per then pulled her free. She was taken on a backboard to Stephens Memorial Hospital, where she was treated and released.

Haendel said she is lucky the Farnums were there, and she's very grateful to everyone who helped her.

She's not holding it against her car that it held her against a snowbank.

"I drove it on Monday," she said, despite still feeling somewhat sore from her ordeal.

Carr is still feeling sore as well. He figures that in lifting the Nissan he probably exceeded his 440-pound dead lift personal best.

"The adrenalin helps," he said.

From the Bethel Police Log:

Sunday, Feb. 25

At 9:38 a.m. Officer Bill Britting responded to Church Street for a report of a vehicle stuck on a cross-country ski trail. The previous evening a subject had driven onto the trail believing it was a public way, and became stuck. A tow truck pulled it out.

Saturday, Feb. 24

At 2:20 a.m. Officer Mac McCormick assisted a county deputy in Newry with a domestic incident.

At 5 p.m. Lt. S.R. White and Officer Travis Fillmore responded to a snowmobile accident on the trail across from Davis Park. The driver had struck a guardrail and flipped over the embankment. Bethel Rescue took him to the hospital with minor injuries.

At 5:26 p.m. Officer Travis Fillmore responded to a car/guardrail accident on Route 26. The driver had fallen asleep, crossed the center line and struck the rail on the opposite side. She was not injured.

At 5:30 p.m. on Lt. S.R. White responded to Route 26 for a two-vehicle property damage accident.

At 8:46 p.m. Lt. S.R. White and Officer Travis Fillmore assisted Bethel Rescue at a residence with a medical call.

Friday, Feb. 23

At 1:20 a.m. on the Walkers Mills Road Officers Mac McCormick and T.J. Reese arrested Tracy A. Gordon, 40, of Albany for OUI.

At 9:30 a.m. Lt. S.R. White responded to the Parkway for a two-vehicle, property damage accident.

At 5:30 p.m. Officer T.J. Reese took a harassment report.

At 10:15 p.m. on the Walkers Mills Road Officer T.J. Reese arrested William D. Caddigan, 49, of Bethel for OUI.

Thursday, Feb. 22

At 9 a.m. Chief Alan Carr took a report of telephone harassment.

Wednesday, Feb. 21

At 7:20 p.m. Officer T.J. Reese responded to a Main Street parking lot for a property damage accident.

Tuesday, Feb. 20

At 3:25 p.m. Officer T.J. Reese responded to Vernon Street for a report of a domestic assault. The complainant said a red van had pulled over and a female got out and started running down the road. The male driver chased her and reportedly pushed her in the snow, and then punched her several times in the back of the head. The officer put out a be-on-the-lookout, but the van could not be located.

At 5 p.m. Officer T.J. Reese assisted a state trooper at a residence with a subject in cardiac arrest.

This report highlights points of interest from the Bethel Police Department log. It lists cases reported in the log of adults being arrested or issued a summons in the 10 days prior to the newspaper's publication, but does not include all police activity.

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Teams

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boys' alpine ski team also won a state title, in Class A.

The Rebels edged out Mountain Valley and defeated seven other teams in slalom and giant slalom races held at Titcomb and Spruce mountains.

For the girls, the Rebels' Meghan Costello won the individual giant slalom title.

In overall results (alpine and cross-country combined), the boys' and girls' teams both finished second.

For complete individual results in the high and middle school alpine and cross-country championships, see page 11.

Gould in an upset

Last Saturday, Gould Academy defeated Richmond 50-42 to win the Western Class D basketball championship, held at the Augusta Civic Center.

The #2-ranked Huskies upset top-ranked Richmond, which was led by 6-10 center Mark Zaharchuk.

The Gould scoring was led by forward Seth Gray, who had 16 points, including four three-pointers.

Other Gould scorers included Tyler Bruens, Evan Bruens, T.L. Tutor, Ian Siekman and Scott Baribeau.

The Huskies will play Deer Isle Stonington on Saturday for the state title.

The game will take place at the Bangor Auditorium. It will be broadcast on Channel 10.

For more on last Saturday's game, see the Gould Academy column on page 10.

ASC

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Chip Carey, ASC's vice president for marketing and sales, said that "in some cases" displaced employees will be offered jobs elsewhere in the company, "if they have a skill set that complements the needs of any of the resorts." (ASC has three remaining resorts: Sunday River and Sugarloaf/USA in Maine, and the Canyons in Utah.)

The recent corporate changes are not likely to directly affect Sunday River employees," Hirasawa said.

"The resort is already running in a lean manner, and we don't anticipate any effect there at all," he said.

Lease income at risk?

The GAMM building is owned by the town of Bethel, and ASC pays \$63,900 a year to lease it. The current lease is for four years — from Sept. 1, 2006 to Aug. 31, 2010.

Income from the lease represents roughly 55 percent of the total airport annual revenue (this year budgeted at \$115,590).

This year the Bethel Airport Authority has budgeted \$91,000 for airport expenses.

If ASC were to close up shop here and walk away from the lease, the BAA would have to find a way to either replace the lease revenue or cut expenses at the airport.

Scott Cole, Bethel town (and airport) manager said the authority has not yet discussed the possible implications of the latest ASC developments.

But, he said, the situation "is certain to be discussed at next meeting, which is March 7."

Otten

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quieted speculation that he is planning a return — by attempting to buy back one or both of ASC's two remaining eastern resorts, Sunday River and Sugarloaf/USA.

For its part, ASC is unquestionably in a selling mode.

ASC went public a decade ago and grew to become the nation's largest alpine ski company with resorts from Maine to California. But with the rapid expansion came a mounting debt load that strained the company's financial resources.

ASC's stock price fell from its initial public offering of \$18 a share to less than 20 cents a share, and the company was eventually delisted from the New York Stock Exchange, losing its coveted SKI ticker symbol.

To pay off its debt, the company in recent months has been selling off its properties.

In December it announced it was selling the Steamboat ski resort in Colorado for \$265 million in cash. This month it agreed to sell Killington, Mount Snow and Pico resorts in Vermont and Attitash in New Hampshire for a combined \$157 million.

Prior to those sales being announced, they had been the source of much speculation in the ski industry, according to Rick Kahl, editor of Ski Area Management trade magazine.

And now it's no surprise that the focus has turned to Sugarloaf and Sunday River. "There's a lot of speculation that they could be sold," Kahl said.

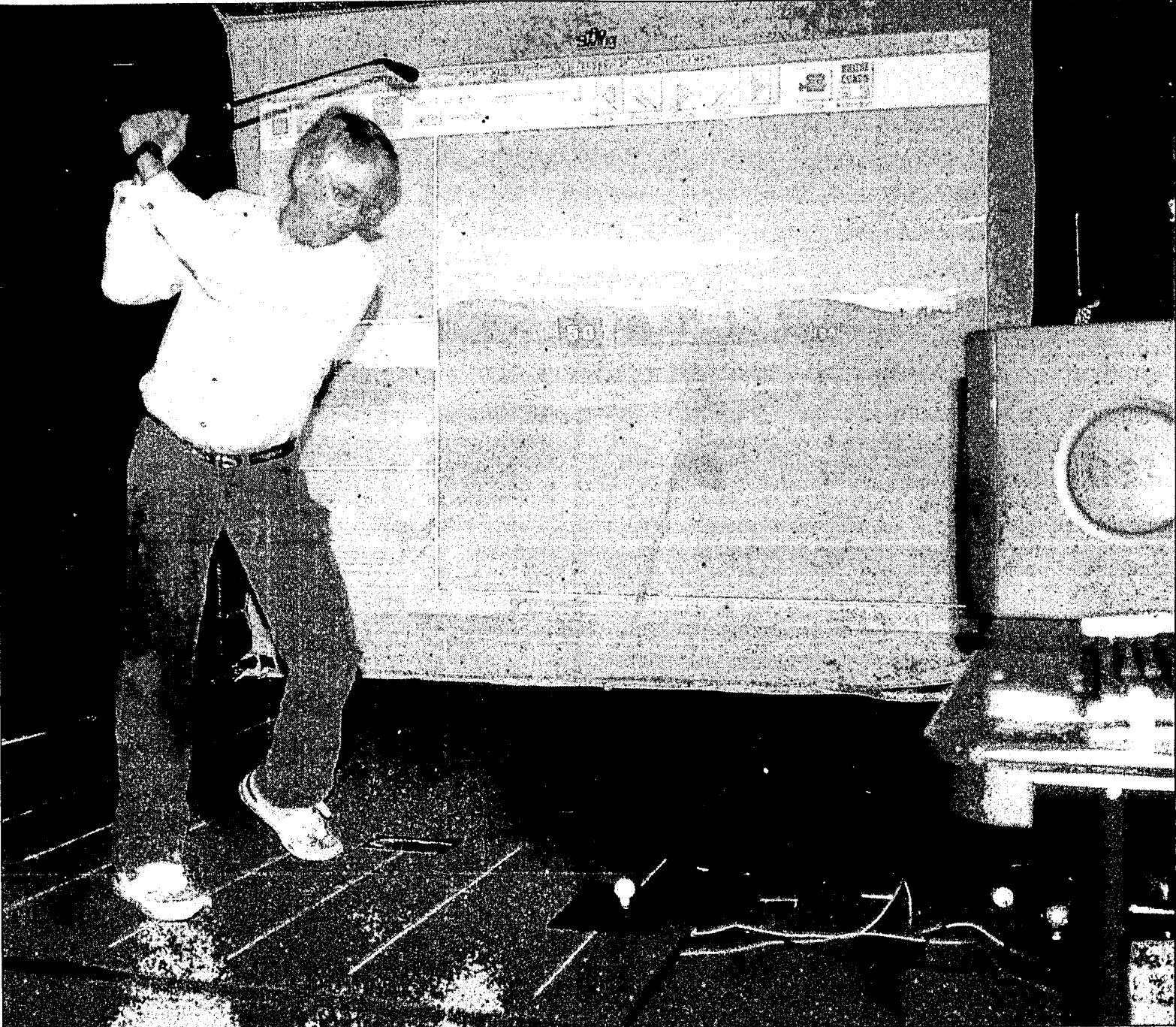
The two properties should be an attractive package to the right buyer, because of their geographic proximity and shared business activities, said Bill Stenger, who has worked in the ski industry for 35 years and is president of Jay Peak Resort in Vermont.

The dismantling of ASC should be beneficial for the resorts that are being sold, because profits can be put back into the businesses rather than to pay off debt, he said.

"I think the breakup of the assets is the best thing that can happen to those areas," Stenger said.

"The next question is whether Sunday River and Sugarloaf will be sold off."

And if so, to whom?



FORE! Les Otten demonstrates the high-tech P3ProSwing golf simulator and swing analyzer market by his Bethel company, Sports Vision Technologies. The units cost from \$639 to more than \$11,000. More than 5,000 have been sold worldwide. (Photo: M. Daniels)

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The Way I See It

by Sharon Bouchard

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Now that we are in the middle of winter with the cold and snow and long dark nights, I think it is a good time to start working on that bathing suit body for summer. And what a perfect time it is too, with such a great assortment of low fat foods and body slimming devices available.

It has been many, many years since I have had to urge to humiliate myself by wearing a bathing suit. I have always felt that some things, like the number of dimples in my thighs, are better to remain a mystery. Now, I'm starting to realize that I'm missing out on a lot of summer fun by sitting on a beach towel in my sweat pants and turtleneck.

I know I will never become a physical fitness nut, but I have made a positive decision to get in shape. I don't ever expect to be one of the California hard body beauty types, but that's okay. At my age, just controlling some of the sag would be fine. I don't want to be in a geriatric beauty contest, I just want to be able to put on a bathing suit and stroll along the beach without the whale watch boats coming by.

In an effort to reach this goal, I recently purchased one of those platform step-up exercise programs. This device is nothing more than a solid plastic step that adjusts from a 3" level to an 8" level and comes with a workout video that instructs you in the fine art of "stepping up".

When I first saw this in one of the stores, I thought to myself, "Wow. I can do that, anyone can step up and down; it's so simple." Simple in theory — yes, simple in practice — no way! Nowhere in the video or the instructions does it tell you that this program requires the same amount of stamina that it takes to

run the Boston Marathon. I should have been tipped off by the fact that no one in the video has a single ounce of body fat. In fact, I don't even know anyone who looks like these people.

A great deal of determination and a strong desire to fit into summer clothes has forced me to keep at it in spite of the passing out. I am proud to say that I can now get through the entire beginners program on the 3" level without the oxygen mask.

Once I reached a point without having to call 911, I decided it was time to graduate to the 8" level. Let me tell you, 5" is all the difference in the world; it might as well be 5'. Not only do I pant and wheeze and my legs feel like lead weights with each step, I keep falling off the gosh darn thing. I intend to keep at it on this level in spite of the pain, one step at a time. I am convinced that by mid-summer I will be able to make it all the way through the warm-up.

As well as the exercise thing, I plan to work on the diet thing too (I know you've all heard that before). I'm going to eat nothing but reduced calorie, reduced fat meals that now flood the frozen food cases at the supermarkets. I've eaten some of these frozen dinners before and some of them are pretty darn good. So good in fact, that four or five of them

would make a nice meal. Some, on the other hand, are so bad that one meal is more than anyone can eat. There are soups that taste like cardboard, breakfast drinks that taste like chalk and some meals that don't taste like anything at all.

There are even snack foods for the weight conscious. I think what makes these okay is not that there are so different from other snack foods, but because they are pre-measured with only 5 pieces of whatever. For me, having pre-measured portions is good because I can't be trusted with giant economy size package of anything. I can eat just a little of something like potato chips, and then put the away. But then, just when I think I have control, the package starts calling out to me, "Sharon, I'm here in the cupboard waiting for you, come and get me, I taste sooooo good." What can I do, the only way to shut it up is to eat it!

I've gone through all of this before and I have the exercise equipment to prove it. My exercise cycle is one of the best purchases I've ever made. I have a shortage of closet space and the handlebars are just right for hanging shirts and blouses. I have a state-of-the-art rowing machine that amuses my grandsons for hours.

Yes, I have been through all of this before, but this time it's different. I have resolve, I have commitment, I have determination and I have will power.

So, the way I see it, you can just look for me at the beach this summer. I won't be hard to find; I'll be the one sitting on a step-up platform wearing the sweat pants and turtleneck drinking a low fat milkshake.

ACROSS

1 Applies lightly

5 Helicopter sound

9 Swedish rockers

13 "Whole — Love" ('89 hit)

18 Guinness or Baldwin

19 Actress Skya

20 Chrysler competitor

21 Toils

22 "Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid"

25 O'Neill's "The — Corneth"

26 New Hampshire city

27 Postpone

28 Leaf part

30 Married

31 Tarbell or Lupino

33 Theft

36 Spring mo.

37 "Duello al Diablo" star?

43 Punjabi prince

46 Ornamental vine

47 It may be bitter

48 Blue hue

50 The very bottom

52 Tijuana title

55 "Star Wars" Skywalker

57 Fawn's father

59 Pride of lions?

61 Be a pest

63 Actress Helgenberger

65 Alario, for one

67 Easily read

71 Kedrova of "Torn Curtain"

73 Unwell

74 Gulf ruler

75 Part of EEC

76 "The Tin Stella" star?

79 Wrath

80 Fateful 15th

82 Demolished a Danish

83 Rain hard?

84 Incorporated, as territory

87 Smith or Jones, e.g.

89 Junkie

91 Petite pooch

92 Forster's "— With a View"

93 Evaluate

96 Level

98 Account entry

102 Have — over one's head

104 "My Sweet —" ('70 smash)

106 Debtors' letters

108 Indefinite pronoun

109 Baal and Elvis

111 "Reese River" star?

115 Funnymen Phillips

117 Halling from Haifa

119 Paw part

120 Once around the track

121 "Peter Pan" pirate

122 Pound the podium

126 Stallone

130 Puts up role

132 "How the Ovest Was Won" star?

136 Actress Tyson

137 Poker stake

138 Peter and Gordon song, e.g.

139 Small combo

140 Asian capital

141 Tavern staples

142 District

143 Prophet

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1 TV's "— Shadows"

2 Bum remedy

3 Neuwirth or Danilels

4 Picturesque

5 Humor

6 Car part

7 Memo start

8 Scuba site

9 Insult

10 Derisive cry

11 "It's freezing!"

12 Confuse

13 Tablecloth fabric

14 UK honor

15 "Riders of the Purple Sage" star?

16 Vagabond

17 Ed of "Lou Grant"

21 Tripoli native

23 Change the decor

24 Earl — Biggers

29 Hockey's Bobby

32 Current unit bunch?

35 Wild child

37 "M*A*S*H" extras

38 — been had!

39 Writer Rand

40 Vinegar's partner

41 Dejected

42 Detergent ingredient

44 Actress Gertz

45 Saying

49 Linda of "Alice"

51 Join the leisure class?

53 Kimono closer

54 Massage

56 Fromm or Segal

58 Comic Radner

60 Start the slaw

62 Shimmer

64 Rub it in

66 Distort

67 Camera company

68 Writer Welty

69 "The Grande Country" star?

70 Go in

72 Blazing

77 Kidney-related

78 De Havilland or Hussey

81 Hair net

85 Start to snooze

86 Spud bud

88 Melville novel

90 Menial laborer

94 Tiberius' threads?

95 A Great Lake

97 Sister

99 Lad

100 Bed and breakfast

101 Pigskin prop

103 Poorly made

105 Costello or Del Rio

107 Use a straw

110 Compass pt.

112 Neighbor of Tenn.

113 Weft's opposite

114 Modifies

115 Vole in

116 Lanza or Lemieux

118 "King Lear" role

121 WWII site

123 Verdi opera

124 — de force

125 Fencing weapon

127 Full-grown filly

128 Soft cheese

129 Scent

131 Dodger Ron

133 Shiba — (Japanese dog)

134 Giant legend

135 Greek vowel

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Super Crossword 'Spaghetti Western'

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Charge

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manager, according to Cole's account.

At one point, Cole said, Savage threatened to "kick my ass" if anyone from the town contacted the state again.

According to the town manager, Savage then came around Cole's desk, stood less than 12 inches in front of him and began shaking a fist within inches of his face.

Throughout the confrontation, Cole said, he (Cole) tried to remain as calm as possible, in order not to incite Savage

further.

"I was terrified," Cole said.

As Savage left, Cole said, he made threats about suing Cole and having him fired from his job.

He also warned that the Bethel police ought to "watch out" and refrain from harassing his trucks or his men.

Savage declined to comment for this article, other than to say he planned to take up the matter with town selectmen next week.

Rescue

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anyone what it was like lying there and looking up at the sky."

Farnum got into the car, put it in park, and put her foot on the brake.

Her daughter-in-law, Son-dra Farnum, also works at L'Auberge. She called 911, then tried to lift up on the car to relieve the pressure on Haendel.

It helped a little, said Haendel.

Meanwhile, Bethel Police Chief Alan Carr, in his cruiser at the bottom of Main Street, got the radio call. He was on the scene in less than a minute. And he was just the man for the job.

Carr was a National Powerlifting Champion gold medal winner in 2001, and he still trains for competitions. He has lifted 440 pounds in a dead lift.

Carr reached under the corner of the Nissan, he said, "and pulled it up to the top of the shocks," so Haendel could breathe easier.

She was also able to move her leg out of the way.

Carr estimated he held the vehicle up less than a minute until firefighters and rescue personnel arrived to help, but it seemed longer.

'The adrenalin helps.'

ALAN CARR
Bethel Police Chief

"I had to let it down once," he said. "She cried out, and I picked it up again immediately. Then the others arrived."

Firefighters Mike Bennett, Mark McPherson, Tom Gibbs and Capt. Frank Buiniskas helped Carr lift the back of the vehicle and slide it sideways away from Haendel.

Bethel Rescue's Glenn Prescott, Arlene Greenleaf, David Hanscom and Robert Hop-

per then pulled her free. She was taken on a backboard to Stephens Memorial Hospital, where she was treated and released.

Haendel said she is lucky the Farnums were there, and she's very grateful to everyone who helped her.

She's not holding it against her car that it held her against a snowbank.

"I drove it on Monday," she said, despite still feeling somewhat sore from her ordeal.

Carr is still feeling sore as well. He figures that in lifting the Nissan he probably exceeded his 440-pound dead lift personal best.

"The adrenalin helps," he said.

From the Bethel Police Log:

Sunday, Feb. 25

At 9:38 a.m. Officer Bill Britting responded to Church Street for a report of a vehicle stuck on a cross-country ski trail. The previous evening a subject had driven onto the trail believing it was a public way, and became stuck. A tow truck pulled it out.

Saturday, Feb. 24

At 2:20 a.m. Officer Mac McCormick assisted a county deputy in Newry with a domestic incident.

At 5 p.m. Lt. S.R. White and Officer Travis Fillmore responded to a snowmobile accident on the trail across from Davis Park. The driver had struck a guardrail and flipped over the embankment. Bethel Rescue took him to the hospital with minor injuries.

At 5:26 p.m. Officer Travis Fillmore responded to a car/guardrail accident on Route 26. The driver had fallen asleep, crossed the center line and struck the rail on the opposite side. She was not injured.

At 5:30 p.m. on Lt. S.R. White responded to Route 26 for a two-vehicle property damage accident.

At 8:46 p.m. Lt. S.R. White and Officer Travis Fillmore assisted Bethel Rescue at a residence with a medical call.

Friday, Feb. 23

At 1:20 a.m. on the Walkers Mills Road Officers Mac McCormick and T.J. Reese arrested Tracy A. Gordon, 40, of Albany for OUI.

At 9:30 a.m. Lt. S.R. White responded to the Parkway for a two-vehicle, property damage accident.

At 5:30 p.m. Officer T.J. Reese took a harassment report.

At 10:15 p.m. on the Walkers Mills Road Officer T.J. Reese arrested William D. Caddigan, 49, of Bethel for OUI.

Thursday, Feb. 22

At 9 a.m. Chief Alan Carr took a report of telephone harassment.

Wednesday, Feb. 21

At 7:20 p.m. Officer T.J. Reese responded to a Main Street parking lot for a property damage accident.

Tuesday, Feb. 20

At 3:25 p.m. Officer T.J. Reese responded to Vernon Street for a report of a domestic assault. The complainant said a red van had pulled over and a female got out and started running down the road. The male driver chased her and reportedly pushed her in the snow, and then punched her several times in the back of the head. The officer put out a be-on-the-lookout, but the van could not be located.

At 5 p.m. Officer T.J. Reese assisted a state trooper at a residence with a subject in cardiac arrest.

This report highlights points of interest from the Bethel Police Department log. It lists cases reported in the log of adults being arrested or issued a summons in the 10 days prior to the newspaper's publication, but does not include all police activity.

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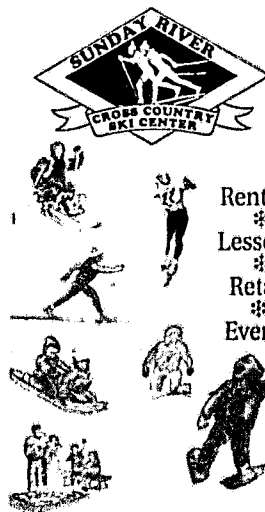
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by Virginia Keniston
Many years ago on Mason Street across the street from the Method-

ist Parsonage was a row of tall spruce trees. Probably they were planted as a windbreak. During a bad windstorm many of those tall trees blew down leaving a couple at either end. Well, this past week the wind hit two of those spruce trees and broke them into smithereens. Quite a clean-up job!

Betsy Davis Retallack's reading of her poetry at the Bethel Library on Wednesday was spectacular. Many people from her past, classmates, family, teachers from music and dance were present making it all very meaningful.

The Lenten Service held on Thursday at the Locke Mills church was very well attended with 65 present. The Locke Mills ladies did the luncheon.

On Monday, the Gould Academy sophomore class contributing to the four-point program put on a delicious dinner for the Bethel senior citizens, the Senior Citizens Club and Red Hat ladies. The entertainment was presented by two Gould students, one on piano and the other on cello which was very beautifully done.

Last Thursday many of the Bethel Red Hat ladies attended luncheon at The Rooster's Roadhouse in Mayville. The meal was delicious and very well served.

Ginny Gamble entertained twenty-five for dinner on Thursday evening.

Marlene and Larry Engdahl are entertaining the Upton family, their daughter Suzanne and family from Ann Arbor, Mich., this week. They love this country and are enjoying every bit of it.

Mary Keniston visited on Saturday with her daughter, Donna Rice-Howe, in Watford. Granddaughter, April Howe-Olmstead and husband, Rob, with children, Olivia and Analiese, from Cranston, R.I., were weekend visitors with her mother, Donna.

The Music Committee and Choir of the West Parish Congregational Church hosted a

special coffee hour on Sunday at the church to honor organist Ruth Silver. A special cake was presented and members and friends presented cards and notes to express their appreciation for Ruth's faithful service as the organist and sharing her gift of music with us and her piano students. A monetary gift was also presented on the occasion of her retirement. Ruth is planning to move near her daughter in Connecticut. She is on a waiting list for a unit in a retirement community. We are sure she will be with us for many more months as she waits for an opening, so we don't need to say goodbye yet (thank goodness!). If you would like to send her a card, mail it to her at 56 Main Street, Apt. A4 in Bethel.

Douglas Rice and son, Justin, from Guilford, Conn., are at The Chalet at Sunday River for a few days of skiing, snowmobiling, and visiting with family.

Newry



by Sylvia Harrington

The snow was very deep walking down the drive with a walking stick in each

hand on Tuesday, the 20th. Usually I don't venture out in such conditions; but it was my son Mark's birthday and I did drive in to Bethel. We enjoyed a lunch out at The Taste of Eden. Sonia had made a strawberry pie at our request. We took two pieces back to Mark's and had coffee and some quiet time together.

Also on the 20th, Bea and Frank Lowell had company for lunch. Brian Bennett and Ted Perry from Buckfield, Kay Saunders from Hebron and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Teaco from New Gloucester. On the menu was halibut they had caught while in Alaska. Bea was telling me that when fish are caught and cleaned the innards have to be returned to the water. I wonder if that is for feed for other water dwellers. She said the eagles are huge and swoop down very close in order to get their share of the cast offs.

A young moose spent the better half of a day at the foot of Bea and Frank's drive. I

didn't dare go too close, so drove back to the lumberyard where David was working to tell him. I had planned to call Bea to let her know as soon as I got home, but David knew all about it and told me more. He thought it was the moose whose mother had been killed on Route 26 recently. It had been lying at the foot of his parents' drive all day and got up occasionally to go into the field. He was not hurt and traffic could drive by slowly and not bother him too much.

Belated birthday greetings to Karlene Bachelder who celebrated her day on Saturday, the 24th. Her sister, Wilma from Unity, has been visiting and enjoyed the many birthday celebrations her sister had. It started on Friday, the 16th, at the Chinese Restaurant with Nita Clark, Loretta Powers and Jordan Berry, Nancy Wight, Gilberte Seeley and Sylvia Gray. On the 21st, Polly Mahoney and Kevin Slater treated them to an evening meal at their home. On Friday evening, it was a women's night out with Polly and Emily Beers. The destination was the Rooster's Roadhouse. On Sunday, Karlene, Wilma and Gilberte dined at the Cinnamon Stick Café in Locke Mills.

This past weekend, Sandee and Leon Dunn snowmobiled across a very bumpy, frozen Umbagog Lake to join the Upton club at Ray Chabot's camp on Rapid River. There were about 50 snowmobilers in attendance for the cookout. Kevin and Lynn Barry and their daughter, who were here from Cape Cod, along with Delores Williams of West Bethel attended the event at Rapid River.

Two days ago a pigeon hawk landed on a railing post. At first I thought it was a peregrine falcon, but realized it was too small. A very pretty bird. I snapped a couple of pictures of it through the window, but they probably won't develop well. I also heard my favorite owl calling the other evening. It is usually at the end of February when I hear the barred owl. A very large bird from the one I observed several years ago in a tree very close by. I'm sure they are enjoying all the mice that venture out at night to feed on seeds that drop from the feed-

ers.

Yesterday I observed a fox lying in the sun in the field across from Lee's. It was there almost two hours from the time I observed it. Might have been there longer.

The Town Office will close at 12 noon on Monday, March 5, in order to prepare for the Town Meeting at the Grange Hall. A 5:30 supper will precede the 7 p.m. meeting.

West Bethel



by Lorrie Hoeh

Ever since the onset of colder weather and the big Valentine's Day snow,

more and more birds have been coming to the feeders. Anytime we look out the window we can see jays, doves, titmice, chickadees, nuthatches, woodpeckers, goldfinches, tree sparrows, and so on. We have also had a return of the turkeys. Every day one or two of the big birds appear, flying up over the bank and skidding in for a landing under the feeders, where they peck and scratch for the cracked corn and dropped seeds. All these visitors are an endless source of entertainment.

John Applin delivered our order of Fedco seeds on Sunday. He still runs most mornings, except when the wind chill is in the minus figures. He said that once again, the Grange was unable to meet at their Route 2 building this month, because the heater just couldn't get the temperature up to a reasonable level. There is talk of holding next year's January and February meetings at the home of one of the members.

We have had an unusual visitor for the month of February. His name is Flat Stanley. The son of one of my Ohio cousins is in third grade, and his class read a book about Flat Stanley. It seems that Stanley was once a normal boy until a bookcase fell on him, flattening him. Each child in the class was charged with sending a facsimile of Flat Stanley to a friend or relative somewhere in the world to have some adventures. So Stanley has gone with me to spinning

events; he has helped us shovel snow; we have taken him x-c skiing; he has met the alpacas down the road; and this week he will meet some Elder-hostelers at the Bethel Inn before I send him back to Ohio with his newly knitted hat and scarf and several photos of his adventures.

Saturday Mike and I went to the Intervale Road to help daughter Martha and Kirk Siegel with packing their belongings and loading them onto a big semi trailer. There was lots of help available, with several of their friends pitching in: Tim and Jody Carter; Betsey and Helen Cooper; Landon Fake; Robin Gurrell; Ken Hotopp, and their daughters Marian and Alice; Abbie Goldberg; John Carter; Nancy Babcock and David Walker, with their son Kyle; and Eric and Eliot List. (I think I remembered all the names; if not, forgive me!) Many thanks to all the helpers.

We ended the day with a stand-up, paper-plate meal (all the chairs and dishes were packed!) of chili, black bean soup, cornbread, coleslaw, brownies, and chocolate cake. The Siegels are staying with us for this week, after which they will be living on the Flat Road in Taylor Thompson's house for a couple of months, while their new house in Albany Township is being completed.

The cross-country skiing is reportedly excellent at all three Bethel ski areas. I have also skied the Forest road, and Mike has been on the pipeline, conditions good at both places. The temperatures have modified a bit, so going out is quite pleasant, especially when the sun is shining. People who live in warm climates year-round don't know what they're missing!

Don't forget to contact me with your news. 836-3011; dhoe@megalink.net.

Gilead



by Lin Chapman

February is now behind us. There were a few cold

days and a major snowstorm, but the month went by fast.

March will probably be a different story. My brother, Steve McLain, pointed out to me the other day that Daylight Savings Time will begin on March 11. I should be able to remember that, since it is Brad McLain's birthday.

I guess things have been quiet in town this past week. I have noticed a lot more snow machines in the WMNF picnic area. One night last week, the grooming machine was out working on the trails. Fred Corriveau and Jeff Hutchins are a couple of the members of the local club that keep the trails ready to ride on.

Selectmen's Meeting
Since the Feb. 14 meeting was cancelled, the selectmen met on Feb. 21. Leon Boucher, from the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife, and Rocky Freda of Bethel were there for more discussion on the boat launch. They talked about options and answered questions.

The selectmen decided to include information in the annual Town Report on the options (the town financing the boat launch, the town granting a permanent easement to the state, or the town selling the parcel to the state) that are available.

There will be an article included in the warrant at the annual Town Meeting on March 31 regarding what action the residents of Gilead wish to take.

The selectmen worked on the budget and hope to finish up soon. The next regular meeting is scheduled for March 7 at the Municipal Building/Fire Station. There was a meeting planned for Feb. 28 for more budget work.

Gilead Historical Society
Just a reminder that the first meeting of 2007 will be on Saturday, March 24, at the Town Hall at 1 p.m. Plans need to get underway for the Annual Event coming up in June.

In light of the upcoming work that is to be done on Route 2, the following is an interesting bit of information that Randy Bennett reminded me about. It refers to landslides on Peaked Hill, which will be one of the major obstacles that will be encountered.

The excerpt is from Benjamin G. Willey's "Incidents in White Mountain History (1856)." Willey writes, "Dur-

GREENWOOD APPEALS BOARD TO MEET

The Greenwood Board of Appeals will meet Friday, March 9 at the request of attorney Edward Dilworth to consider an appeal by William Kaplan, who is contesting the Planning Board's approval of three change-of-use permits and a site plan application for "Round Pond Station," a commercial rental property located at 41 Marshall Lane (Map U05, Lot 15).

The meeting will be held in the Town Office meeting room. It will begin at 5 p.m.

Anyone unable to attend the meeting who has comments or concerns on this matter may address them to:

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ing the terrible storm of 1826, when my brother's (Samuel Willey) family was destroyed at [Crawford] Notch, slides also took place on many of the mountains in this town. From Picked Hill came rushing down thousands of tons of earth, and rocks, and trees, and water, destroying all that lay in their path. No lives were lost, but the consternation of the inhabitants was great. The darkness was so intense as almost to be felt. The vivid lightnings and long streams of fire, covering the sides of the mountains, caused by the concussion of the rocks, only served to make the darkness more visible. Amid the deluge of rain, the terrific crashings of the thunder, and, over all, the deafening roar of the descending slides, it was impossible to make one's self heard. The valley rocked as though an earthquake was shaking the earth. The frightful scene did not last long; but, during its continuance, more terror was crowded into it than during an ordinary lifetime. The inhabitants under these mountains alone can appreciate the awful scene through which my brother and his family passed on that terrible night."

Got any news? Call 836-2987 or e-mail chapmal@hotmail.com.

Andover



by Melinda Averill
Tonight (Thursday) is family basketball night at the Andover School.

The picture of White Cap, donated by Dirk MacKnight, will also be raffled off. If you haven't bought a ticket yet, it isn't too late — stop in at the school and purchase one. All of the proceeds will go to Mahoosuc Land Trust, to help with the purchase of White Cap.

Happy Birthday to the fol-

lowing: Hunter Gray on Feb. 22, Jacob Rainey on the 23rd, Sarah Chase on the 24th, Gaby Conrad on the 26th, and Jeremy Putnum on the 29th.

We've had two stray cats appear on East B Hill Road within three days of each other. Whoever is dumping them — Stop. There's no need of it.

Get well wishes to Martha Cronin, who has been in and out of the hospital lately.

Speedy recovery wishes to Joe Madigan, who had surgery recently.

Have a nice weekend.

Mason



by Richard Grover

All of us in this part of Mason were deeply saddened by the passing last

Sunday morning of Verna Thayer's grandson Greg, in California. Greg was a quiet and thoughtful young man who was a joy to his whole family, especially to his grandmothers. He loved the outdoors and especially the brooks, streams and mountains of Maine, where he spent many happy hours while visiting his grandmother here and the beaches of Cape Cod, where he visited his grandmother Miller. He adored his loving wife Jola, whom he had loved for quite a few years before they were married just five or six years ago, and his three-year-old daughter, Maya, who was the light of his life. Greg was taken from us in the prime of his life and leaves a huge void for all who knew and loved him.

In other news, my logging continues to provide memorable, if frustrating, incidents that serve to inspire humility. The latest was a "wrapped-over" winch cable which bound up soundly, allowing me the use of only about 30 feet of my 100-foot cable. I tried everything from using every tool

I could think of to pry a loop of cable over to free the loop beneath it on the winch reel, to hooking the end of the cable to a tree and pulling it out with the tractor. Nothing worked, even spinning all four tires on dry pavement on a downhill cant! My last resort is to use a torch to burn through the cable so I can get it off. I already went to Marden's to get a new cable!

I also spent a half-day replacing the faucet on our kitchen sink. The old one came all "afloat" when the metal washers on the attaching stems rusted out. When I went to Western Maine Supply for replacement parts and new faucet, I found that my PVC pipe and plastic filler tubes from shut-off to faucet were obsolete and no longer used. Plumbing has changed a lot in the past 10 years. This necessitated a trip to Brooks Brothers for parts, due to their more extensive plumbing department. The end result was a new kitchen faucet, which Mona likes really well, and a handful of new other doo-dads I used to hook it up with. I still hate plumbing!

Mason Kids

by Coulton Williams

Over the next two weekends, Western Maine Youth Hockey will be playing in the tournaments in Bangor. Go Wolverines! Madeline, Caili and Ani had a skating recital last Saturday at the Bridgton Ice Arena. There were lots of fancy skating and fancy costumes.

Elsie's granddaughter, Mackenzie, spent a night in Mason with her grandmother. On Friday, Rick Charette played at Telstar. Several local kids attended. We are in our first week of school since vacation. Vacation went too fast for me.

West Paris



by Joyce Lamb

January and February have been extremely cold. My thermom-

eter could not get above freezing. Now there is plenty of snow for recreation and I do not care for any more. The front walk drifted full and accumulated four feet of packed snow. Grandson Kyle shoveled a neat path, so I can now get out through the front door.

It is good to be home but I do miss walking my daughter's golden dog three times a day.

At the West Paris Universalist Church on March 4 Bernice Martin will be the guest speaker at 9 a.m. Jim Burke is organist. All are welcome.

The craft group gathered and tied a quilt. Chances will be sold with the drawing at Old Home Days in June. Beverly Stevens sewed the pattern together and now I will sew around the edge. It will make someone warm and help them sleep better!

On Thursday, March 8, Susan C. Farrar will be the guest

speaker in the Bryant Pond Whitman Memorial Library at 10 a.m. She will speak on the writing of her book. She will have copies of the book for sale. Light refreshments will be served. There is no charge to attend.

The apple blossom amaryllis put out two large stems and each stem has four large blossoms. This was a new bulb last spring and is beautiful. One of the older bulbs has three large, dark red blossoms. They sure cheer me up on these cold, windy days. March will be here this week. Easter is in the middle of April. Time goes too fast.

Hanover



by Clem Worcester

Congratulations go to University of Maine at Orono student Jessica

James of Hanover for achieving dean's list status. Jessica is the daughter of Richard and Tammy James of Top Hat Road.

Congratulations also go to high school senior Leeann Gross for earning high honors in her classes at Region 9 School of Applied Technology in Mexico. Leeann is the daughter of Brian and Brenda Lee Gross of Main Street.

Also earning honors at Region 9 is Chris Barlow of Barlow Road in Hanover. He is the son of Pete Barlow and Deborah Barlow.

Marie Halacy of Hanover was pleased to learn that her grandson, John Farrington, of East Andover was an honor student in the building trades class at Region 9.

Area fire departments were dispatched to a Main Street residence Monday evening for a reported chimney fire. Rumford Fire Department arrived with two trucks and extinguished the flames.

Evelyn Enman died Feb. 20 at Central Maine Medical Center. Evelyn and her husband, Harold, lived at Rumford Point and also had property at Howard Pond. Harold passed away seven years ago. Funeral Services were at 11 a.m. Wednesday at the Rumford Point Church and burial will be at the East Ellis Cemetery in the spring. A daughter, Elaine Tremaine, of Minot, survives Evelyn.

Hanover residents who have failed to license their dogs for 2007 can soon expect a visit from the animal control officer and additional fees when they do register their animals. Eventually a court visit could be required.

Kaylyn Worcester spent school vacation week with her dad, Brian. She returned to her mother in Rumford on

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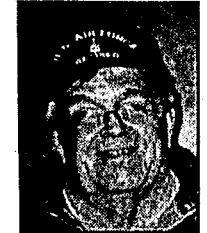
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Danny and Kim Peare of Andover, and Peter Peare of Berlin, N.H., visited with Alyce Peare at her Hanover home last Sunday.

Greenwood City



by
Wayne
Hakala

Today has made us forget all about the past couple of weeks.

We might even see spring pop up one of these days. The cold and wind has been terrible. It hasn't helped me being chased by a nasty little word called "cold." Thank heavens for that stuff that is green for night and orange for the day. Good stuff to have on our side.

Saturday evening was enjoyable with many good friends at the Lincoln Day Dinner. It was very nice to see Dave and Ruth Pilling. They owned Uncle Andrew's farm on Old County Road and have since moved to Lowell. Plus Judy Bennett and Bill Seames, and Loretta Mikols were at the table. Evelyn Bean, the Putnams and Hoopers were at the next table. A very nice time was enjoyed by all.

My brother Ray is progressing very well. We don't want any more things to go wrong with him or the whole family. Enough all ready! But Ray is going to be a time recovering. All his puppies love it being snuggled up to him. Seems Andy, the tubby little dust mop protects and keeps his belly warm. Buster, the bouncer, keeps his back warm. Then Sadie and Maggie just fill in when there is a need, which is frequently.

I did go and clean out the

back yard so as all the puppies could do their business in style. Noreen had pushed snow from the storm enough for the little ones to move a few feet. I'm sure that Sadie, the little cocker, had plenty of room to watch for the red chipmunk.

I had a nice chat with Rodney Harrington while shopping at Wal-Mart.

Seems like shopping is the only time we get to see many friends and neighbors. But when you do have to shop, it is wicked good to see so many nice friends.

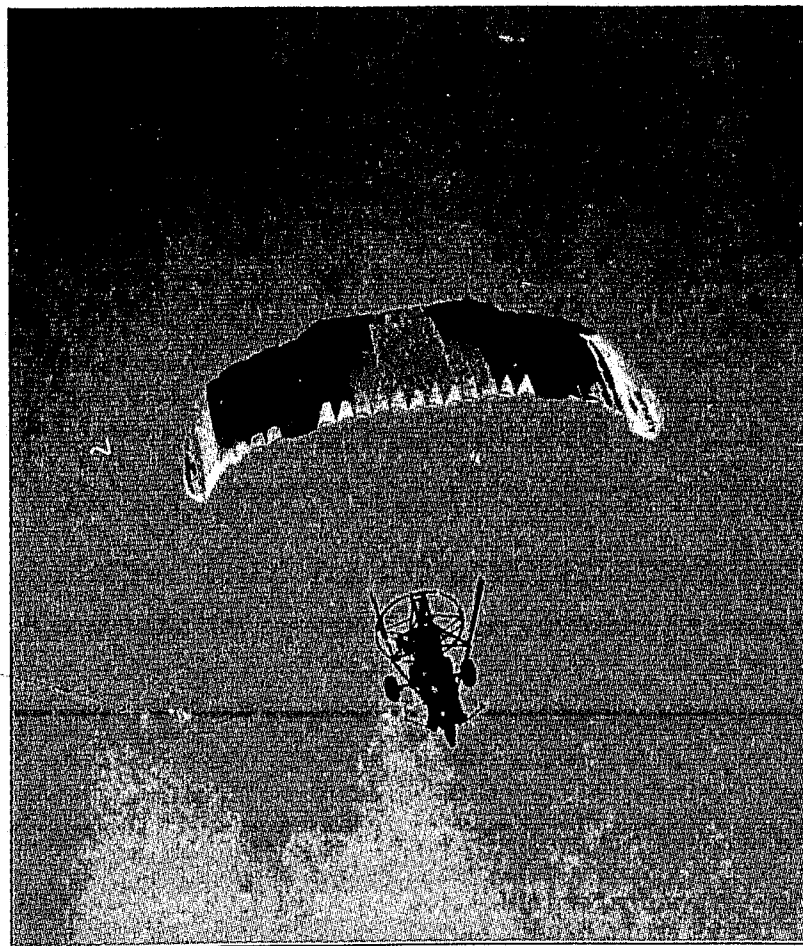
Anita continues to gain with her ankle. She still can't put weight on it till she sees the doctor again on March 19. But she is getting around much better and can balance with the left foot.

So she is helping out with a number of chores, and it is much appreciated. Although she has to comment each time she matches up my heavy support stockings. She did hang them on the rack to dry yesterday. So life is good.

Last Monday evening, we of the Bryant Pond Lodge enjoyed a meal together. We had several beef stews. Anita supervised me as I constructed one and Charlie McAllister made another.

Jim Grover, master, made a delicious salmon stew. Then it was wicked good homemade ice cream by Clayton Bartlett. Being President's Day, he thought cherry ice cream was the appropriate flavor of the day.

Be watching for an announcement of several public suppers in the coming months. Jefferson Lodge will be preparing several and, as many know, we do have some wicked good cooks lined up. Joe Roy has promised to do some of his widely acclaimed baked beans and there are several other



WINTER AT ITS BEST—The recent nice weather has prompted outdoor recreationists to take to the hiking trails — and skies — of the region. Above, Randy Autrey soars in his powered parachute. Right, Halsey Derocher of Greene, his dog, Benson, and Emily Hanley of Lewiston enjoy the views from Table Rock in Grafton Notch.

(Photos: M. Daniels, Carol Savage)



ideas on the front burners. So look forward to them, and if you go away hungry, it has to be your own fault. There will be plenty of good eating available.

Anita has been enjoying going to Bingo and helping Leah. She enjoys it so much and seeing so many wonderful friends. And I get several hugs just because I take her. That is wicked good!

That's all there is time for now. But you keep it on the sunny side!

Bryant Pond

by
Alice Hoyt



Services at the Baptist Church are Sunday School at 9:15 a.m., morning worship at 10:30 a.m., youth group at 4 p.m., choir practice at 5 p.m., and evening service at 6 p.m. Wednesday evening at 8:30 p.m. is prayer

meeting. Missions Conference starts Wednesday, Feb. 28 to March 4. Those coming to the conference are Dr. and Mrs. Gene Burge, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Wilhite and Mr. Paul McLaughlin.

The Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens will meet at Ledgeview Memorial Home on Thursday, March 1 (today). Meeting starts at 11:30 a.m., dinner by the Ledgeview Auxiliary, program by Anita Wiles from Seniors Plus. Tickets are now available for a cord of

wood, which was donated to the senior citizens. Drawing will be as soon as the tickets are sold.

Sue Clements Farrar will be guest speaker at the Whitman Memorial Library on Thursday, March 8. She will be speaking on her books, some of which she will have available to sell if you wish to buy one. Time is 10 a.m. Everyone welcome. Sue spoke one stormy day when few could attend, but she was so good she was rescheduled. Also at the library on March 15 at 1:30 p.m., there will be a discussion

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The Bethel Board of Selectmen are accepting applications for a volunteer to serve on the Ordinance Review Committee. This volunteer position would have an expiration date of December 31, 2007. Applications must be submitted to the Town Office by noon Friday, March 2, 2007. Interested persons may call the Town Office at 824-2669 or email info@bethelmaine.org for further information.

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on "Yeh Yeh's House." This is the One Book One Community program. Bob and Cil Rice, who traveled to China, will lead the discussion and will be sharing their insight. The library has a copy of the book "Yeh Yeh's House."

Judith Grover Tent 17 Daughters of Union Veterans will meet on Monday, March 12 at the home of Alice Hoyt. Sympathy is extended to the family of Irving Cushman.

The Woodstock Extension met on Wednesday, Feb. 21, at the Town Annex. The program was on Alaska, so the meal contained some fish recipes, and several books, pictures, etc. were there to look at from Leatrice and John Chase.

Historical Society

The Woodstock Historical Society Museum features the furniture of local author, George Allan England, as the heart of its Decorative Arts collection. It was donated early on to the society and is fine country furniture, actually made by the Indians. There is a high style Victorian settee upholstered in red that is the latest addition. The museum has many travel books for you to enjoy, a lovely collection of jewelry, some wonderful pictures of former mills in Woodstock. So they represent industry well. And, of course, there's the large clothespin sign outside the building. The farming equipment upstairs is also nice. There are even very old photos of one farm on cloth, no less. They have a great research library with books on nearly every subject imaginable and all the papers of local historian, Ruby Emery. All this should answer many questions for you and provide hours of valuable and profitable reading.

South Woodstock

by Andrea Wing

Susan Clement Farrar will be the guest speaker at Whitman Memorial Library on Thursday, March 8, at 10 a.m. Ms. Farrar will be talking about two of her books, "Samantha on Stage" and "Emily and Her

Cavalier." She will have copies of the books available for sale for any who would like them. Ms. Farrar has been a guest once before but slippery traveling kept many away. It was such a good program that she has rescheduled. The program is open to the public at no charge and light refreshments will be served.

Also at the library, March 15 at 1:30 p.m. is the date to discuss, "Yeh Yeh's House", the One Book, One Community selection. Bob and Cil Rice, who have traveled to China, will be leading the discussion and will share some of their insights as well. This is open to the public at no charge. All are welcome.

March birthdays being celebrated in March are: Mary Ellen Andrews, Desman Cox, Derek Leonard, Jim Miclon, Michael Scott Moore, Patty Poland, Darcy Robertson, Leslie Thurlow, Mark Thurlow, Patty Thurlow, and Harold Wilbur. A special birthday wish to my granddaughter, Jessie Hart.

Celebrating anniversaries this month of March are: Phelps and Joan Poland, Richard and Andrea Wing.

Notice: with much regret, I will not be writing for the news in Bethel Citizen after this week. I've enjoyed it for several years. Thanks for reading my news, it meant a lot to me.

Albany



by Sheila Dyke

Greetings and hello from Albany Township.

Well, February vacation is at an end, and, of course, the kids are sick. Never fails. The weather is starting to turn warmer, yet, there are many areas of the country that are still getting blizzard-like conditions. Personally, I'm looking forward to the warmer weather.

Contact Sally Sawyer if you wish to make a donation for the improvement of the town hall. I keep forgetting my information, but, I should have that for you next week.

Best wishes for a happy and safe week. God Bless and Keep.

Waterford



by Rockie Graham

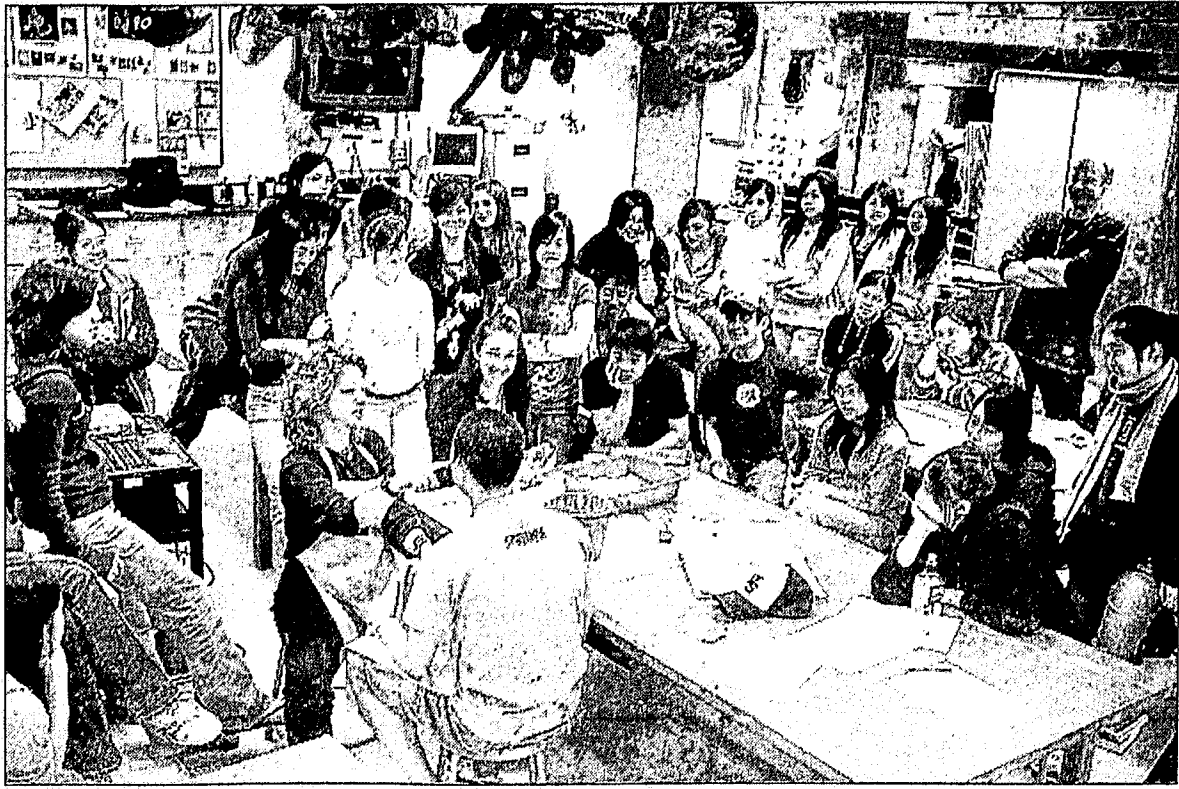
I began this yesterday and was interrupted. My last two columns have not made it into print. Hopefully this one will.

The weather these last two days has been beautiful if a little chilly in the mornings. The sunshine has been great for the soul. Tasha has a new place right by a snowbank in the sun. She lies there and we can't see her but she is right by the house and in dog heaven.

The most important thing for people in Waterford this week is that Friday, March 2, is Election Day. Saturday is Town Meeting. People can vote Friday from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the Town Office. Town Meeting begins at 9 a.m. also. There is only one name on the ballot for selectman; overseer of the poor and tax assessor, and that is John Bell. I think he will make an excellent selectman. It is important to vote for him as there is a write-in campaign also. School Committee candidates are also running — one to finish the one-year term of Terri Grover and one for the three-year term. They are both good candidates. The Friday ballot also contains election for moderator and the question of whether the town will allow the sale of malt liquor, wine and liquor to be consumed on the premises of a licensed establishment. Currently, you can get a license to sell wine or hard liquor but not beer or malt beverages. This would allow beer to be sold. In the '80s or so, someone did not want beer to be consumed because they didn't want a barroom in Waterford. This would allow it to be sold in restaurants or inns with a license from the state.

Please vote March 2 and go to Town Meeting March 3.

My new job has been catch as catch can as there is not



RETURN TO BANGKOK—Bryant Pond artist/author Arla Patch recently had the opportunity to return to her former high school, the International School of Bangkok, Thailand, for the first time since her graduation in 1968. She finished high school in Thailand because her step-father was part of the United States Information Service (USIS) stationed in Viet Nam, and Bangkok was considered a "safe haven" for families. This opportunity to return to where she launched her adult life so many years ago, all started when she received a book of poetry in the mail last March from a former college classmate. The back of the book was inscribed with "Thank you for helping me see who I could be." The classmate, with whom Patch shared one semester at the Tyler School of Art in Rome, Italy, had not contacted her since then, and that was 1971. He now teaches at the Taipei American School in Taipei, Taiwan. He invited her to be a Visiting Artist at his school sponsored by the PTA. Taipei American School is in the same sports conference as the International School of Bangkok and only three hours airtime away so he suggested she return to Bangkok and the International School as well. Also last spring, Patch received a phone call from a former student from the '80's in Pennsylvania. The American student, now 41 years old, is coincidentally a professor of Visual Media at a Thai University in Bangkok. He invited Patch to show her DVD "A Body Story" to his class as well as talk about her work to his Thai college students. The final piece to this story is Patch's high school sweetheart, who had found her online in recent years, who now lives with his Thai wife in Bangkok. He speaks fluent Thai, knows the city and culture well and offered to host her while in Bangkok. All of these chance events coincided to create a journey of a lifetime. At the Taipei American School, Patch taught mask-making, mandalas, and her own "coil drawing" technique during a week of classes.

always any tasks to do. It appears as if I've done everything I've been asked. Is anyone surprised? So we shall see what they come up with next. At least it is a job of wide variety.

That is all for this week. Have a great week.

From

Western Mountains Senior College

"How to Cope with Unexpected and Traumatic Loss" will be presented on Saturday,

March 3, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. at West Parish Congregational Church, Garland Chapel, Church Street, Bethel. Paul Matteson, MS Ed, LCPC, will explore the challenges of grieving unexpected or traumatic losses from accidents, suicide or homicide. Strategies for healthy coping and

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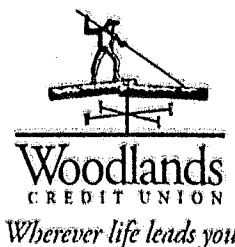


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grieving in the face of such loss will be covered.

Matteson is a director of Edgebrook, Inc., in Pownal, a nonprofit organization created for the purpose of providing residential workshops focused on healing grief, trauma and loss. He received the 1998 Community Service Award for his work with male sexual abuse survivors from Sexual Assault Response Services of Southern Maine.

Matteson began his training as a workshop facilitator at the Elizabeth Kubler Ross Center in Headwaters, Va. He works in his private practice as a psychotherapist and facilitates groups for men who have been sexually abused.

This is the third in a series of workshops on Recognizing and Coping with Loss and Grief sponsored as a community service by Western Mountains Senior College, SAD44 Community Education, Bethel Family Health Center, Androscoggin Home Care and Hospice Bereavement and Grief Support Services, and Wayne DuPlessis, counselor. The workshops were planned to help participants learn to successfully navigate the stages of grieving that accompany a tragedy, illness, death or personal loss.

The final workshop, to be held on Saturday, March 17, will cover "How to Deal with Depression Following Loss and Grief," and presented by Wayne DuPlessis, Bethel counselor.

Admission to workshops is free and the public invited. Pre-registration is not necessary but will help with planning. For more information or to register, call one of the co-chairs, Rosabelle Tift at 824-2053 or Wendy Iseman at 824-8610.

Senior Players

Sixteen amateur thespians have been practicing weekly since early February on a variety of skits. Five new members joined WMSC and the Players for this session, adding their own special brand of humor with other members on the many interesting skits. The troupe promises to once again wow the audience when they hold their performances on Saturday evening, April 14 and Sunday afternoon, April

15 in the McLaughlin Auditorium at Gould Academy. Save the dates. You will not want to miss this one!

From Oxford County Republicans

State Sen. Carol Weston of Montville, Republican leader in the Maine Senate, was the featured speaker at this annual event, honoring the first Republican U.S. President, Abraham Lincoln, who was initially elected in 1860 on a ticket that included Oxford County native Hannibal Hamlin for vice president.

Weston, a native of Aroostook County, married to Peter Weston, and the mother of two, served two terms in the state House of Representatives before her election to the state Senate in 2003. In her remarks to about one hundred Oxford County Republicans, the state Senate Republican leader, underscored the party's message of limited government and lower taxes. She pointed out that under Democratic control for much of the past generation, Maine has achieved the very unwelcome status as the leading state in the Union with the highest tax burden. Democrats continue to talk about reducing the Maine taxes and have made repeated promises to that effect, but nothing seems to happen in that direction. Republicans will continue to hold the Democrats responsible for reducing taxes and the GOP has made constructive proposals for reducing spending and making Maine more attractive to business growth and development.

Maine College Republican Chairman Nate Walton of Lewiston, a Bates College student, who has done an outstanding job of recruiting and organizing college students for the Republican cause, also spoke on his work in preparing for the 2008 election cycle.

The dinner, held at the Bethel Inn Conference Center on Feb. 24, began with a social hour followed by dinner, then the program, which also included raffles and an auction to raise funds for the 2008 election. Former state Rep. Al

Barth served as auctioneer and raffle winner announcer. Various county officeholders and legislators were also recognized as well as members of the Executive Committee.

State Committeeman Stan Howe recognized retiring members of the Executive Committee and presented gifts to Joan Putnam, former vice chair, Louanne Cameron, former treasurer, and Erion Jones, former chairman. Letters from Maine's two U.S. Senators were read by Rep. Sawin Millett for Senator Snowe and Carlene Tremblay for Senator Collins' staff.

Representative Jim Hamper (R-Oxford) performed his usual musical parody of life in Augusta dealing with Democratic budget gimmicks and public relations "spins."

Much appreciation was expressed by Chairman Dan Boling to everyone who worked so hard to make this event such as success, citing especially the work of Becky Kendall and Lynn and Jim Hamper.

The event ended with a rousing group singing of "God Bless America."

From Ellis River Riders

Well February is here and almost gone! Today, Feb. 25, I officially have mud in the driveway. This is a good sign. Spring is on the way!

Ellis River Riders Show Committee has been busy as bees preparing for the 2007 show season. Some things to look forward to are:

March Barrel Clinic March 31 and April 1 \$200 per horse and rider team for both days at the Community Arena with Betty Dyer. The Community Arena is located in New Vineyard right on Route 27. Please contact Missy at Golfinghorse@tds.net.

Grounds opening at Ellis River Riders May 5 and 6, tentative, providing all the snow is gone. Contact Bill Cole at cnet@megalink.net.

The show program book is in the works; most likely at this point they will be ready around the first of April. Remember each family receives one book free per membership. Additional books will be available for a cost, usually between \$3-\$5.

The first show of 2007 is scheduled for May 19. We are trying something different for this show All Leadline classes will be free. We need to encourage our youth riders of today, we need more. All the kids are growing so fast and have moved on to other divisions that our Leadline divi-

sion is lacking riders. This show only, all Leadline classes will be free for members and nonmembers. Should the rider join Ellis River before the next show in June all the points earned will be carried forward. Although the May show is normally for members only, we will only allow Leadline riders to be nonmembers. Everyone else must be a member, and you can pay your membership that day.

June 29, in conjunction with Central Maine Team Penning, Ellis River Riders will be hosting a gymkhana show in Leeds. This will be pointed toward Ellis River Riders and have some payback classes. Deb Cayer and Lainie Wilkinson are working on the specifics for this show and the class list, as there will be more news to share.

We are planning a Demo Days and Chili Cook-off for July 14 at the show grounds. Looking for demonstrators to donate their time and skill. All proceeds from this event will be donated to an Equine Rescue here in the state of Maine. So far we have Chris Lombard who will be doing a natural horsemanship demo, Melissa Riodon will be doing a trailer loading demonstration and "tips on the trail" from pulling an emergency shoe to bridge crossing, etc.

We will also have a "horse soccer" demonstration. This is something new coming to Maine and it looks to be a hoot of fun. We will also be looking for chili makers; categories will be mild, wild and styled. Prizes will be available. Please contact Lainie Wilkinson at genuinflashybull@verizon.net if you are interested in Demo Days and being a demonstrator, even if you have contacted her once, please contact her again. Put "Demo Days" in the header.

As the year winds up the e-news will be more frequent.

Dean's list

AT ST. JOSEPH'S

Kyle Kuvaja of Greenwood, a freshman studying pre-pharmacy at Saint Joseph's College of Maine, has been named to the dean's list for the 2006 fall semester.

AT ST. MICHAEL'S

Kelsey Dole of Bethel, daughter of Kelly Dole, was named to the dean's list for the fall 2006 semester at Saint Michael's College.

Dole is a freshman Business Administration major at the liberal arts, residential Catholic college located in the Burlington area of Vermont.

From Gould Academy

by Peter R. Stowell '61

The Abenaki Indians of Canton Point, called the Rokomekos, had a term for going to battle — "The dogs of war are loose." The Class D Gould Academy Huskies loosed the "dogs of war" on Saturday at the Augusta Civic Center, wrestling the championship from the number-one Richmond Bobcats.

Few Gould fans dared hope at the outset that Gould could topple the central Maine team that featured a 6 foot, 10 inch center, Mark Zaharchuk. But in the end it was the Big Dogs' combination of determination and refusal to give up that gave the Huskies the come-from-behind win.

In many respects today's final was by far the best effort of the three tourney games by the Gould team and by far the most consistently played game.

The difference this time, however, was the emergence of new stars to complement the nucleus of the Bruins twins, Tyler and Evan, and their amazing play-maker, T.L. (Thomas) Tutor. Stepping up were forwards Seth Gray and Ian Siekman and reserve guard Scott Baribeau.

Surprisingly, with more than three minutes gone in the first quarter, Gould led Richmond by the score of 7-0. Following a time-out, however, Richmond refocused their game around their tall center, Zaharchuk, and with less than a minute to go in the quarter, the game was tied 11-11 and knotted again at the end of the quarter 14-14.

Things were beginning to close in around the Gould offense, as Zaharchuk and forward Glen Kendrick shot the lights out of the Civic Center.

Richmond led Gould by five mid-way through the second quarter, 29-24 but Gould pulled to within one by the half, 32-31.

Their surge was costly, however, as play-maker Tutor committed his third foul early in the quarter. Richmond succeeded in forcing Gould to outside shooting; this time Gould's Seth Gray stepped up with four first-half three-pointers to keep the Huskies close.

The third quarter saw Richmond continue their edge in scoring. Although Gould's defense was most successful in keeping Richmond away from the easy shot, they had trouble keeping Zaharchuk from the basket.

Strictly a defensive quarter, Gould scored only four points while Richmond took a four-point lead.

In the fourth quarter, play-

ing with four fouls, Tutor repeated his sparkplug play from Saturday's semi-final, dazzling the Richmond defense with his stutter step ball-handling and crisp passing. Ian Seikman and Evan Bruens kicked up their desire and propelled Gould to a four-point lead with 2:41 to play in the game.

Gould fans, always vocal and always cheering on their Huskies, began to hope for the best. Baribeau picked up play-making duties and copped a few key rebounds. Later, Tutor shot a full-court pass to the running and gunning Evan Bruens, who had just enough time to hoist the ball to the basket as he stepped out of bounds.

Gould's lead was now six. The fans were going wild, but Richmond hit a three-pointer to cut the lead to three with just 47 seconds left in the game. Turnovers favored Gould at this point, as did fouls. Evan Bruens hit two key foul shots and suddenly Gould's lead was eight points with only a few seconds to play.

Gould let Richmond gallop down the floor for two or three desperation three-point attempts, but they all fell on the wrong side of the rim. Suddenly Gould had confounded the experts and found themselves Western Maine Class D champions, 50-42, in a game much closer than the final score would indicate.

At a post-game reception held in the team's honor following the game, Head of School Dan Kunkle congratulated the team on their winning season and Coach Siekman credited the win to the desire shown by team members way back during the very first practice when, as a team, they pledged that this year's goal was to play for the State Championship.

They will get their wish; the game will be played on Saturday, March 3 at the Civic Center in Bangor. To make the day more complete, Gould's T.L. Tutor was presented the John Messina Award, given to the Class D Tournament player who exemplifies the outstanding player-sportsman. Before the reception, this reporter asked Head of School Kunkle what his plans were for next year's team, when increased enrollment forces Gould to move up to Class C.

"We're going to do everything we have to do to win the Class C Championship," Kunkle said. One of the great needs before next season's practice begins is a new basketball floor for the Farnsworth Field House. Today's win offers Kunkle an excellent opportunity to begin raising funds for this purpose.

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Sports



STATE SKI COMPETITORS—The Telstar High School boys' and girls' alpine ski teams competed last week in the state Class C ski championships at Big Rock Ski Area in Mars Hill. The girls' squad won the alpine championship. Pictured at Big Rock are, front: Frankie Delduca, Whitney James, Julia Stambolis, T.J. Cowin, Sam Largess. Back: coach Bob Remington, Teague Merrill, Rick Rose, Jen DeNormandie, Mark Emerson, Jake DeNormandie, Marion Thurston, coach Peter Kenney.

High School Boys' Cross-country Skiing

State Class C Ski Championships at Big Rock.

Freestyle, Feb. 19 (61 racers). Winning time: 14:28.56. Telstar finishers: 27. John Lewis 18:16.39; 34. Lance Brown 18:47.07; 44. Will Chapman 19:45.33; 47. Patrick Gallagher 20:38.11; 56. Brian Annis 23:21.93.

Classical, Feb. 21 (63 racers). Winning time: 16:20.97. Telstar finishers: 44. John Lewis 21:51.93; 51. Will Chapman 23:24.49; 54. Lance Brown 24:04.52; 55. Patrick Gallagher 24:27.70; 58. Brian Annis 26:01.67.

High School Girls' Cross-country Skiing

State Class C Ski Championships at Big Rock.

Freestyle, Feb. 19 (51 racers): Winning time: 16:14.67. Telstar finishers: 15. Brianne Bailey 20:40.04; 18. Katlyn Keane 21:51.95; 32. Molly Keane 24:11.21; 40. Lisa Aron 25:46.17; 45. Maegan Bonney 27:24.73.

Classical, Feb. 21 (54 racers): Winning time: 18:00.31. Telstar finishers: 14. Brianne Bailey 21:45.55; 25. Katlyn Keane 24:06.38; 34. Rochelle Jewell 25:42.94; 38. Molly Keane 26:04.17; 39. Lisa Aron 26:17.09; 48. Maegan Bonney 28:27.76.

High School Boys' Alpine Skiing

State Class C Ski Championships at Big Rock.

Giant Slalom, Feb. 19 (57 racers). Winning time: 1:24.18. Telstar finishers: 6. Frankie Delduca 1:27.22; 14. Jake DeNormandie 1:29.82; 27. Mark Emerson 1:33.43; 34. Teague Merrill 1:34.95; 47. Rick Rose 1:44.27.

Slalom, Feb. 20 (55 racers). Telstar finishers: 1. Frankie Delduca 1:15.39; 17. Jake DeNormandie 1:23.48; 20. Mark Emerson 1:25.73; 34. Teague Merrill 1:34.94; 45. Rick Rose 1:45.32;

High School Girls' Alpine Skiing

State Class C Ski Championships at Big Rock.

Giant Slalom, Feb 19 (50 racers). Telstar finishers: 1. Sam Largess 1:28.26; 2. T.J. Cowin 1:29.23; 3. Marion Thurston 1:30.43; 5. Julia Stambolis 1:31.97; 10. Jen DeNormandie 1:36.40; 24. Whitney James 1:44.11.

Slalom, Feb. 20 (48 racers). Telstar finishers: 1. Sam Largess 1:23.12; 5. Julia Stambolis 1:25.04; 6. T.J. Cowin 1:27.08; 12. Marion Thurston 1:30.87; 20. Whitney James 1:37.81; 25. Jen DeNormandie 1:40.99.

TMS Boys' Cross-country Skiing

State Class A Championships at Spruce and Titcomb mountains.

Freestyle (49 racers). Winning time: 10:30.8. Telstar finishers: 2. 10:43.5; 6. Adam Mahar 12:23.3;

15. Ben Lewis 13:57.4; 39. Matthew Keane 18:35.2; 42. Casey Kelner 19:59.3; 45. James Piccirillo 22:07.9.

Classical (50 racers). Winning time: 10:41.7. Telstar finishers: 2. Jeb Clarke 11:41.4; 8. Adam Mahar 13:25.5; 16. Ben Lewis 15:00.3; 38. James Piccirillo 18:25.6; 41. Matthew Keane 18:45.0; 42. Casey Kelner 19:13.4.

TMS Girls' Cross-country Skiing

State Class A Championships at Spruce and Titcomb mountains.

Freestyle (38 racers). Winning time: 11:15.1. Telstar finishers: 4. Alice Hotopp 12:38.3; 11. Molly Siegel 15:02.5; 12. Samantha Southam 15:15.9.

Classical (42 racers). Winning time: 12:13.1. Telstar finishers: 3. Alice Hotopp 12:36.6; 7. Samantha Southam 15:03.8; 8. Molly Siegel 15:07.6; 33. Helen Cooper 20:12.7.

TMS Boys' Alpine Skiing

State Class A Championships at Spruce and Titcomb mountains.

Slalom (59 racers). Winning time: 40:93. Telstar finishers: 2. Taylor Reis 42:61; 6. Doug Gardner 45:36; 15. Mitchell Fraser 49:40; 23. Hunter Chase 53:67; 28. Wyatt Costello 54:27; 29. Cody Boivin 54:29; 30. Tobias Francis 54:88; 31. Avery Rossow 55:17.

Giant slalom (64 racers). Winning time: 57:39. Telstar finishers: 2. 58:01; 7. Doug Gardner 1:01.18; 16. Mitchell Fraser 1:02.72; 28. Cody Boivin 1:06.15; 29. Wyatt Costello 1:06.32; 53. John Drew 1:16.66; 54. Hunter Chase 1:17.47; 55. Trenton Bonney 1:17.57; 61. James Piccirillo 1:20.79.

TMS Girls' Alpine Skiing

State Class A Championships at Spruce and Titcomb mountains.

Slalom (50 racers). Winning time: 41:00. Telstar finishers: 2. Meghan Costello 41:41; 19. Samantha Southam 56:07; 27. Emily DeCarolus 59:74; 28. Susan Newkirk 1:00.12; 36. Rachel Wheeler 1:04.52; 37. Rose Wright 1:04.63; 38. Sarah Averill 1:05.14; 43. Kendra Carter 1:08.56.

Giant slalom (50 racers). Telstar finishers: 1. Meghan Costello 56:83; 21. Samantha Southam 1:08.55; 26. Emily DeCarolus 1:11.14; 33. Rachel Wheeler 1:14.01; 37. Susan Newkirk 1:16.49; 42. Rose Wright 1:19.44; 43. Sarah Averill 1:20.78; 47. Carlee Beatson 1:19.66.

School Lunch

Week of March 5, 2007

Telstar Lunches

Monday: Chicken parmesan, noodles, spinach, tossed salad, fruit bar, milk choices.
Tuesday: Baked ham, mashed potato, carrots, tossed salad, fruit bar, milk choices.
Wednesday: Rice bar. Choice of brown or white rice, veggie choice, wonder bites or chicken stir fry, fruit bar, milk choices.
Thursday: Nachos, meat sauce, chips, salsa, cheese, tossed salad, fruit bar, milk choices.
Friday: Soup bar. Beef stew or chicken noodles or corn chowder, biscuit, carrots, fruit bar, milk choices.
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SAD44 Elementary Schools Lunches

Monday: Hamburger/bun, green beans, salad bar, fruit, milk.
Tuesday: Chicken fajita, salsa, salad bar, fruit, milk.
Wednesday: Hot dog, baked beans, dinner roll, salad bar, fruit, milk.
Thursday: Fun fish, potato, salad bar, fruit, milk.
Friday: Popcorn chicken, corn, salad bar, strawberries, fudge bar, milk.

Oxford Hills District

Monday: Chicken quesadilla, mixed vegetables, sliced peaches, milk.
Tuesday: Hamburger/bun, corn chips, fresh apple, milk.
Wednesday: French toast w/syrup, sausage, Maine potato rounds, applesauce, milk.
Thursday: Fajita chicken taco on tortilla rounds w/lettuce, tomatoes and cheese, fruit salad, milk.
Friday: Egg and cheese on English muffin, fruit juice, half orange, milk.

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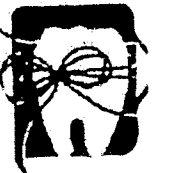
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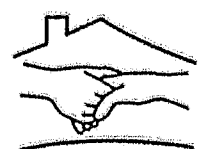
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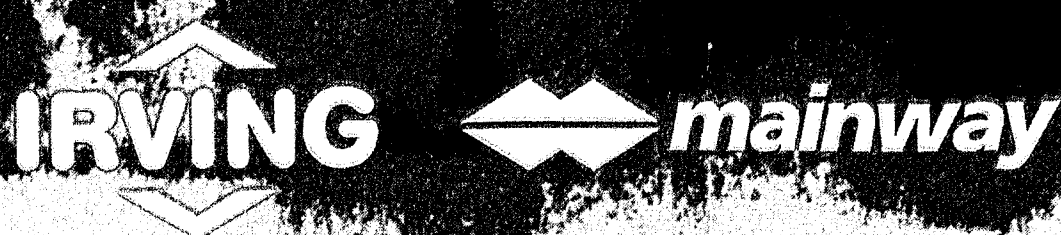
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Events Calendar

9 a.m. (Fridays) — Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge at Fare Share Food Coop, 443 Main Street, Norway. For more information, call Mini Bell (743-8881) or Rowena Palmer (743-2882) or e-mail bridge@mcgallink.net.

Every Wednesday, 7 to 9 p.m. — The Yet To Be Named Banjo Club practices in the Commons of the Fare Share Market at 477 Main Street, Norway. Interested banjoists are invited to join. The public is welcome to come in and listen. FMI: call Alan Hamilton at 875-2680.

Thru March 5 — High fire porcelain work of ceramic artists Angus Graham G.A. '01 and Andrew Channia at Gould Academy's Owen Art Gallery. FMI: call 824-7741.

Thru March 31 — New show at the Commons Art Gallery, 447 Main Street, Norway, featuring: Don Best and Diana Arcadipone. Gallery Hours: Thursday-Friday 3-6 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m.-2 p.m. or through Fare Share Market.

Local Volunteers Needed For The American Cancer Society's Daffodil Days during February and March to assist in taking orders, packing, and delivering daffodils for its long-standing fundraising program to help raise money to support the fight against cancer. FMI: contact Ray Kautzman at 373-3724 or the American Cancer Society at (800) ACS-2345 anytime, day or night.

7 p.m. (second Tuesday each month) — Open mike original poetry reading at Mousse and Bean, 63 Main Street, Bethel. FMI: 824-2366. Come read or just have coffee and take in the scene.

Thursday, March 1

12 noon — Lenten Luncheon of soups, breads and desserts hosted by West Parish Congregational Church at Locke Mills Union Church. The Rev. Ginger Rickerman will be the speaker.

7 p.m. — "Managing a Woodlot — A Beginner's Class." Six-week class starts at Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School, South Paris. Instructor: Merle Ring, district forester with the Maine Forest Service. FMI: call OH Adult Education at 743-8842 Ext. 1 or 674-3787.

7 p.m. — "River Town: Two Years on the Yangtze" by Peter Hessler is the next book for discussion at Norway Memorial Library. Second in a series of five books being read pertaining to China in connection with the 2007 One Book One Community. Oxford Hills Reads program. Discussion will be facilitated by library staff, and the public is invited to participate. FMI about joining this book discussion call the Norway Library at 743-5309.

Friday, March 2

1:30 p.m. — World Day of Prayer. "United under God's Tent" an ecumenical celebration of informed prayer will be held at Locke Mills Union Church sponsored by the Bethel Area Clergy Association. Refreshments follow service. Everyone welcome. FMI: contact Beverly Melville at 875-2451.

Saturday, March 3

9:30 to 11:30 a.m. — "Community Program on Unexpected and Traumatic Loss" presentation at the West Parish Congregational Church, Garland Chapel, sponsored by Western Mountains Senior College, SAD44 Community Education, Bethel Family Health Center, Androscoggin Home Care and Hospice, and Wayne DuPlessis, counselor. Admission free. Public invited. FMI: 824-2053 or 824-8610.

5:30 p.m. — Public Supper at Bethel Methodist Church, Main Street. Menu: baked beans, hot dishes, salads, dessert, rolls and beverage. Cost: adults, \$6 and under 12, \$3.

7 p.m. — George Saterial, Master Magician, presented by The Black Diamond Family Entertainment Series at the Grand Ballroom, Grand Summit Resort Hotel, Sunday River Ski Resort. Tickets: \$4/\$6 kids (6-12), \$6/\$8 adults. FMI: 824-3575.

Tuesday, March 6

7 p.m. — Black Diamond Family Entertainment Series will present Fusion, Side-splitting Comedy Juggling in the Grand Ballroom, Grand Summit Resort Hotel, Sunday River Ski Resort. Tickets: kids (6-12) \$4 advance/\$6, Adults \$6 advance/\$8. For tickets more information, call 824-3575.

Wednesday, March 7

3:15 to 4:30 p.m. — The Children's Department at Norway Memorial Library, 258 Main Street, will explore the rich tradition of Chinese storytelling, offered by Oxford Hills Libraries for One Book One

Community: Oxford Hills Reads. Space is limited; parents must pre-register by visiting the library or calling 743-5308 by March 7. The Norway Memorial Library is at 258 Main Street.

Norway Summer Festival Kick Off Spaghetti Supper (w/salad, Italian bread, peach melba for dessert), serving from 5:30-7:30 p.m. at the Norway Unitarian Universalist Church, 479 Main Street. Public invited (\$10 per person). The Bedard Trio will perform good old-fashioned tunes on the keyboard and fiddles, and expect a Mellic Dunham song or two as well. There will be poetry readings from the "Poets on the Porch" and a special preview of Sidewalk Art Show works. Tickets may be purchased in advance at the Norway Memorial Library or Books N Things in Norway. They will also be available from Festival Committee members, Norway Downtown Revitalization board members, and at the supper. FMI: 743-5309.

Thursday, March 8

10 a.m. — Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond, will have as guest speaker Susan C. Farrar who will speak on the writing of her book. Copies of the book will be for sale. Light refreshments. No charge to attend.

6 p.m. — Bethel Lions Club regular meeting at the United Methodist Church, Main Street, Bethel. FMI: 824-2107.

Saturday, March 10

12 noon — Spring Basket Bingo at St. Athanasius-St. John Parish Hall, Rumford. Doors open 11 a.m. Light lunch offered (finger rolls, hot dogs, chips, homemade desserts, beverages). Proceeds go to St. Athanasius-St. John School. Anyone wishing to sponsor, donate or fill a basket, please contact the school at 364-2528.

7 p.m. — Black Diamond Family Entertainment Series will present Randy Judkins and Barney Martin, Comedy with Character in the North and South Ballroom, Grand Summit Resort Hotel, Sunday River Ski Resort. Tickets: kids (6-12) \$4 advance/\$6, Adults \$6 advance/\$8. For tickets and more information, call 824-3575.

Tuesday, March 13

Telstar Alumni Association monthly meeting in the Conference Room at Telstar Regional High School. All alumni are urged to attending this meeting and brainstorm ideas for raising funds for the Telstar Alumni Memorial Fund.

Wednesday, March 14

11 a.m. — Bethel Senior Citizens Club meeting/luncheon at Bethel Methodist Church, Main Street.

1 to 3:30 p.m. — "Cousin to Cousin: Genealogical Methods and Sources," a five-session course, will be begin and continue each Wednesday afternoon through April 11 at the Bethel Historical Society Mason House Exhibit Hall/Meeting Room. Conducting the course will be Society Life Member Stephen T. Seames, of Greenwood. The course is open to anyone; the fee, payable at the first class, is \$15 for Bethel Historical Society members and \$20 for nonmembers. To register or for further information, call 824-2908 or (800) 824-2910.

Thursday, March 15

1:30 p.m. — Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond, will feature a discussion of "Yeh Yeh's House," the One Book One Community selection. Bob and Cil Rice, who have traveled to China, will be leading the discussion and will share some of their insights as well. This is open to the public at no charge. All are welcome.

Friday, March 16

6 p.m. — Honduras Presentation and Community Potluck at West Parish Congregational Church, Jane Chandler, Jim Chandler and Jan Whitworth will share stories and slides of their recent trip to Honduras. Please bring a dish to share at the potluck. FMI: call Christine Trefethen at 836-2164.

Support Services

ABUSED WOMEN'S ADVOCACY PROJECT

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5086; 24 hour hotline 1-800-559-2927

AA MEETINGS

Bethel Freedom Group's Big Book Meeting Sundays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.

Bethel Freedom Group's Speaker/Discussion Meeting, Tuesdays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.

Bethel Freedom Group's 12 Step/Traditions Meeting, Fridays at 7:30pm at Bethel United Methodist Church.

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Narconon, a nonprofit public benefit organization that specializes in helping people with drug or alcohol addictions offers FREE assessments and more than 11,000 local referrals through the 800 line. Drug addiction can be overcome and Narconon can help. Call (800) 556-8885 or visit www.drugrehab.net.

ALCOHOL & DRUG COUNSELING

Alcohol and drug counseling. Saturdays at Bethel Counseling Center, 16 Parkway (Professional Building). Tom Kelly, LADC, 357-7354

EXCHANGES

District Exchange Community Thrift Shop accepts donations of in-season clothing in clean, wearable condition only. Drop-off hours and shopping: Monday 1-4pm, Thursday 4-6pm and Saturday, 10am-12pm.

The Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church Community Service Center announces that individuals or families requiring assistance with food needs in the South Woodstock, Bryant Pond, West Paris and Sumner areas are invited to call 674-2566, 674-2663, or 665-2226 to learn more details.

MS SUPPORT GROUP

Meets the first Friday of the month from 1-2:30pm

Library Hours

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30pm; Thursday 6-8pm. Tel: 392-4841

Bethel Library: Monday 9am-1pm; Tuesday, 1-5pm; Wednesday 1-8pm; Thursday & Friday 1-5pm; Saturday, 9-1pm. Story Hour Mondays, 10-11am October to May. Michelle Conroy, Librarian. 824-2520.

Crescent Park Elementary School: Open every Wednesday evening from 6-8pm to the public.

Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday 11:30-5:30; Saturday 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9pm. Tel. 743-2980

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Tuesday 1:30-5pm; Thursday 1:30-7pm.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 1:30-5pm; Wednesday 1:30-7pm; Friday 1:30-5pm. 674-2004

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12.

Upton Library: Saturdays 9-11am



"A Pair of Star-crossed Lovers Take Their Life..."

The Theater At Monmouth, The Shakespearean Theater of Maine, is touring a production of Shakespeare's greatest tragedy of love, Romeo and Juliet. On Friday March 9, the Mahoosuc Arts Council in Bethel will host a 7:00 PM showing of the play in Gould Academy's Bingham Hall. The production is set in modern times and features a cast of ten professional actors from Maine and New York.

Romeo and Juliet is the most famous love story in the English literary tradition. Their love is a violent, ecstatic, overpowering force that supersedes all other values, loyalties, and emotions. Romeo and Juliet's fate to be "a pair of star cross'd lovers" drives them to defy their entire social world: families, friends,

and ruler, experiencing a love that appears so exquisitely beautiful that few would want, or be able, to resist its power.

Running just over two hours with one intermission, the seamless movement of the play, along with many visually stunning moments, makes the show a perfect introduction to Shakespeare for those unfamiliar with his plays. It will also please Shakespeare fans used to seeing Shakespeare performed with twice as many actors.

The production is Directed by The Theater At Monmouth's Jeri Pitcher, who has recently directed The Tempest and The Grapes of Wrath for The Theater, and has performed in the previous two winter tours of The Merry Wives of Windsor and Henry V.

The company, known for its summer season of classic plays, its fall musical, and innovative spring touring children's shows is quickly adding another tradition, a winter tour of a great Shakespearean play thanks to the National Endowment of the Arts. For the third year in a row, The Theater At Monmouth has been selected as the only company in Northern New England, and one of only thirty companies across the country to participate in the prestigious Shakespeare in American Communities: Shakespeare for a New Generation program. With financial support from the National Endowment for the Arts through Arts Midwest, The Theater At Monmouth is touring with a full production of Romeo and Juliet.

Admission is \$8 for adults and students \$4. Tickets are available at the door on the night of the show or can be reserved by calling the Mahoosuc Arts office at 207 824-3575.

Saturday, March 17

9:30 to 11:30 a.m. — "How to Deal with Depression following Loss and Grief" presentation by Wayne DuPlessis, Bethel counselor, at West Parish Congregational Church, Garland Chapel, sponsored by Western Mountains Senior College, SAD44 Community Education, Bethel Family Health Center, Androscoggin Home Care and Hospice, and Wayne DuPlessis, counselor. Admission free. Public invited. FMI: 824-2053 or 824-8610.

Sunday, March 18

1 p.m. — Annual Basket Bingo, sponsored by Friends of Telstar at Locke Mills Legion Hall, Gore Road. Doors open 11 a.m. FMI: contact Susan Gordon at gordons@sad44.org or Brenda Wight at wightb@sad44.org.

1 to 5 p.m. — "Small Maine Critters," tracking and building shelters, at Sunset Summit, Howe Hill Road, Greenwood. Dinner included. Cost: \$10. FMI: 875-2220.

Wednesday, March 21

7 p.m. — Open House at Norway Memorial Library, 471 Main Street, Norway. The library is celebrating its 30th anniversary.

Saturday, March 24

10 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Indoor Flea Market by Mundt-Allen Unit 81 American Legion Auxiliary at the Post Home on Vernon Street, Bethel. Any person wishing to purchase a table for \$15 may do so by contacting Pat McCartney at 836-3575 before March 19.

It's always wise to call ahead

Listings in The Citizen's weekly Community Calendar are compiled from a wide variety of sources. While we do our utmost to ensure the reliability of the information presented here, we recognize that when dealing with such a large volume of material, some inaccuracies will occasionally creep in. And in other cases, a sponsoring organization's plans may change between the time The Citizen is printed and the event is held. Accordingly, we strongly urge our readers to call ahead to verify the details of any event they plan to attend. Doing so will greatly reduce the chance of disappointment or needless inconvenience.

Church Services

ALBANY

Congregational Church - Hunts Corner, 9:30 a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School at 9 a.m. Pastor Eddie Gammon. Bible Study 6:30 Thursdays at the home of Fernand Corriveau.

ANDOVER

First Congregational Church Rev. Jane Rich. Sunday morning worship 10 a.m. followed by coffee fellowship. All are welcome. FMI: 392-3761.

Calvary Bible Church - Pastor Ken Wagstaff. Morning worship 10:45am Noon with a Sunday School 9:30-10:30am. Wednesday bible study and prayer meeting 6:30 p.m. Rt. 3, S. Andover. 392-1121

BETHEL

Bethel Alliance Church- Pastor Kevin Bellingher (624-2229) Sundays: Sunday worship for adults and children at 9am. Morning worship service at 10am. Kidz Klub (4 yrs-5th grade) and Youth Group (6th-12th grade) at 5:30pm. Prayer fellowship Wednesdays at 7pm.

Church of the Nazarene - Pastor Chuck Mason, 9:30 am Sunday School, 10:30 am morning worship Wednesday evening service in different locations. Call for info: 824-4028 (voice mail) or 824-2529 FMI

West Parish Congregational - Rev. Virginia Rickman 10 am worship, child care available. Prayer Tuesday 8 am. FMI call 824-0550.

Our Lady of the Snows- Effective October 14, Saturday mass will be at 4:00pm Rev. Angelo Levasseur. 364-4336.

United Methodist - Geoffrey Gross, Pastor 10:30am Sunday worship Sunday School, 9:30am.

West Bethel Union - a.m. worship and 9 a.m. Sunday School For information, call 836-3533 or 836-2882. Rev. Earl H. Bell

Pleasant Valley Bible - Pastor Aaron McNally, 9 a.m. Sunday school, 10 a.m. worship. Awana Clubs FMI 836-3006 or 824-2037

Episcopal House Church - Holy communion service the third or fourth Sunday of every month at 4 p.m. at 38 Chapman Street. For further information, call the Reverend Gwyneth Bohr at 824-2913.

Church of Christ - at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mills Road (Route 26), Bethel. Worship at 9 a.m. Sunday. 824-3377 FMI.

Seventh Day Adventist Fellowship: Meets at the Nazarene Church on Saturdays, on Church Street in Bethel. For more info, call 824-8939.

EAST STONEHAM

Oxford County United Parish - North Waterford Congregational Church & Stoneham Congregational Church. Sunday worship services 10 a.m. at North Waterford Congregational Church. Church School (grade school age children), after school on Tuesdays at 3:30 at Stoneham Town Office Fire Station. Adult Church School Mondays at 7:15pm at Marjorie Kimball's home. Rev. George Froberg, 693-6461.

GORHAM, NH

Assembly of God - Pastor Paul Levein. Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday service

10:30 a.m., Sunday evening service 7 p.m., Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m. FMI 603-466-2851.

Gorham Congregational Church - Interim minister Rev. Kent Schneider. Sunday morning worship and church school at 10:30am. Communion is celebrated the first Sunday of each month. FMI 603-466-2136.

HARRISON

Bolster's Mills United Methodist Church - Bolster's Mills Road, Harrison, Maine. Rev. Walter R. Brown, Pastor. Sunday worship at 8:45 a.m. Church school 10:15 a.m. for kids kindergarten - grade 12. Call 553-9024 or 553-7040 for more info.

LOCKE MILLS

Locke Mills Union - Rev. Frank Hannes. Sunday morning service will begin at 9:30. Bible study at the church is every Tuesday at 6:30pm. Everyone is welcome.

MEXICO

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints- 265 Main Street. Worship service Sundays at 10am. Pres. Peter Beekel. 364-5081

NEWRY

Newry Community Church - Sunday worship service 9 a.m. Rodney H. Hanson, pastor. (Services in the church will resume in April)

Sunday River Christian Ministry - With Rev. Don Cotterdale and gospel singer Cynthia Libby. On mountain, interdenominational worship service held every Sunday during ski season, 10:40am to 11:30am. Located in "Upper Room" of River House, South Ridge area. Come as you are. For our service of peace, prayer, and praise. For more information, voice-mail, 824-5336.

NORWAY/PARIS

First Church of Christ, Scientist - Sunday service 10 a.m. Wed. Testimony service 7:30 p.m. 5 Morrill Rd. Rt. 118 wateroomer to Norway Country Club, Norway. Call 824-4999 FMI or ride.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church - Route 117N, S. Paris. Pastor Henry Male. Sunday morning service 10:15 a.m. with coffee fellowship immediately after Sunday School at 9 a.m.

North Paris Federation. Morse Hill Road, North Paris. Sunday Service 8 a.m. Pastor Bruce Tyner. 674-2968. Synchronization third Sunday each month alternating with West Paris Baptist Church at 7 p.m.

Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers) - Sunday worship 9:30 a.m. at HOPE Ruptex Center, High Street, S. Paris across the park from the Post Office. Call Ursula Brandon at 865-2830 or Sue Kelly at 966-2012 for more information.

Christ Episcopal Church - 35 Paris St., Sunday service 8 and 10am. Church school and child care from 9am. Healing service with communion 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday. Rev. Anne Stanley. Call 743-6762 for more information.

First Baptist Church of Paris. On the Common at the top of Paris Hill. 10:30 am worship service. Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Coffee hour follows the service. Fellowship lunch held the first Sunday of each month following worship. Pastor Ron Blake.

St. Catherine's: Saturday 6 p.m. Vigile Mass; Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass. Unitarian Universalist Church of Norway - 11am worship (Sept - June). Child care is provided. Religious education classes 11am-12:15pm. FMI 743-2623

OXFORD

St. Mary's - Saturday 4pm Vigile Mass. Our Lady of Ransom: Sunday 10:30 a.m. Mass

RUMFORD

St. Barnabas Episcopal Church. Holy Communion, 9:30 a.m. Rev. Tim Parsons. Priest-in-charge. Special holidays will be announced. Stone church at the rotary.

RUMFORD CENTER

Praise Assembly of God - Pastor Justin Thacker. Adult and teen Sunday school 9am. Sunday worship service at 10am. Sunday prayer meeting at 6pm. Wednesday night bible study and youth group 7pm-10pm. Andover Road. FMI call 364-3036 or see our website at <http://www.forumministries.com/usa/rap.asp>

RUMFORD POINT

Rumford Point Church - Sunday service. Sunday School, 10:40am. Pastor Frank Hannes

SUMNER

East Sumner Congregational. Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday service 9 a.m.

WEST PARIS

Unitarian Universalist Church of West Paris. 9 a.m. worship 9:45 a.m.

West Paris Baptist - Sunday Worship 9:15am. Bruce Tyner, Pastor. Sunday School Preschool thru kindergarten 9:45am. Sunday School Grades 1-5 10:15am. Sunday evening worship 7:45 p.m. Men's Breakfast meeting last Monday of the month. Tuesday ladies fellowship meets the fourth Tuesday of every month. 1st & 2nd Time-Bible Weekly 9:30-11:00am. Adult Choir Wednesday evenings, Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer 7pm. church business meetings the third Wednesday of the month.

West Paris Congregational Church. Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday Worship 11 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.m.

WOODSTOCK

Bryant Pond Baptist. Pastor Lawrence Hudkins. Sundays: Sunday School 9:15 a.m., Adult Bible Fellowship 9:45 a.m., Morning Worship 10:30 a.m., Evening Service 6:00 p.m.; Wednesdays, Kid's hour 6:30 p.m., Prayer meeting & bible study 8:30 p.m.

Woodstock Seventh day Adventist - Pastor R. Richard Wright (207-735-9670). Saturday 9:20 a.m. Sabbath School. 11 a.m. worship service.

Pinhook Meeting House (Rt. 262, North Woodstock). Hymn Sing, 1st Friday of each month, 7 p.m. All welcome.

Mahoosuc Mountain Friends - worship group meeting in the unprogrammed tradition of Friends (Quakers). Sundays, 9:30 a.m. at the Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond. Newcomers welcome. Call Dick Stratton at 824-8669 FMI.

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(22) College Basketball: Virginia Tech at Virginia					College Basketball: Memphis at Texas-El Paso		SportsCenter			
(34) CSI: Crime Scn			CSI: Crime Scn		TNA Wrestling Impact!	Pros vs. Joes	UFC	Wild World		
13	Entertain	The Insider	Survivor: Fiji		CSI: Crime Scn	Shark	News			
(41) Sports	Dest Wild	Poker Superstars			Best Damn Sports Show	Sports	College Basketball: UCLA at Wash. St.			
(15) "Red Eye"	Movie: "Doctor Dolittle"				Movie: "Big Momma's House 2"	300 1st	Real Sex			
(17) Phil	Suite Life	"Lilo & Stitch 2: Stitch Has a Glitch"		Lilo & Stitch	Life Derek	Phil	Suite Life	So Raven		
(18) "Hope Floats" Cont'd		Movie: "Mr. & Mrs. Smith"				Movie: "Clueless"				
(20) NHL Hockey: Philadelphia Flyers at Boston Bruins				Bruins	SportsDesk	Be a Bruin	SportsDesk	Biscuit		
(44) Still Stnd	Still Stnd	Reba	Reba		Movie: "A Killer Upstairs"		Will-Grace	Will-Grace		
(5) Raymond	Raymond	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Movie: "Ace Ventura: When Nature Calls"				
(24) OddParents	Neutron	SpongeBob	Full House	GrowPains	GrowPains	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	
(25) "North to Alaska" Cont'd		Movie: "Broken Trail"								
(26) Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Nashville Star	Law Order: CI			
(27) CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		The First 48		First Person Killers	Dallas SWAT			
(12) Movie: "Back to the Future"					Movie: "Back to the Future Part II"					
(39) The Situation Room		Paula Zahn Now		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360				

FRIDAY EVENING MARCH 2, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil		Jeopardy!	News	Frasier	Frasier	South Park	South Park	
(32) Smallville		Movie: "National Lampoon's Vacation"				Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club		
6	207	Inside	News Center Extra		Las Vegas	Law & Order	News			
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Grey's Anatomy		Wife Swap	20/20	News			
10	Girls High School Basketball: Maine Class B Final				High School Basketball: Maine Class B Final		My Family	MontyPyth		
(22) SportsCtr.	NBA	NBA Basketball: Detroit Pistons at Miami Heat			NBA Basketball: Kings at Lakers					
(34) CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		Pros vs. Joes		UFC 68 Countdown				
13	Entertain	The Insider	Ghost Whisperer		Close to Home	NUMB3RS	News			
(41) Sports	Knockouts	Poker Superstars			Best Damn Sports Show	Sports	Sports	Fight League		
(15) Miss Congeniality 2		Rome		Rome		Rome	Real Time			
(17) So Raven	Suite Life	Montana	Cory		Movie: "Freaky Friday"		Suite Life	So Raven		
(18) "Battlefield Earth" Cont'd		Movie: "Running Scared"				Movie: "The Matrix Revolutions"				
(20) Hockey	College Hockey: Boston College at New Hampshire				SportsDesk	SportsPlus	SportsDesk	Poker		
(44) Still Stnd	Still Stnd	Reba	Reba		Movie: "Black Widow"		Will-Grace	Will-Grace		
(5) Raymond	Raymond	Movie: "Bandits"				Movie: "Eraser"				
(24) OddParents	Neutron	SpongeBob	OddParents	SpongeBob	Neutron	GrowPains	GrowPains	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	
(25) "Children of the Corn"		Movie: "Misery"				Movie: "Misery"				
(26) Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU		Monk		Psych	House			
(27) CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami			
(12) Funniest Home Videos		Movie: "Cop Land"				Funniest	Funniest	Sex & City	Scrubs	
(39) The Situation Room		Paula Zahn Now		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360				

SATURDAY EVENING MARCH 3, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Basic Instinct"					Frasier	Frasier	Without a Trace	
(32) Movie: "Parenthood" Cont'd					Movie: "Parenthood"					
6	Maine	Paid Prog.	Dateline NBC		Law & Order: SVU		Law Order: CI		News	Sat. Night
8	Fortune	Paid Prog.	Building a Dream	Oprah	Movie: "Head of State"				News	CSI: Miami
10	Girls High School Basketball: Maine Class C Final				High School Basketball: Maine Class C Final		Red Green	Red Green		
(22) SportsCenter Cont'd		College GameDay			College Basketball: Pittsburgh at Marquette		SportsCenter			
(34) Movie: "Hard to Kill"					Most Amazing Videos		Disorderly Con.	TNA Wrestling Impact!		
13	MDTV	Better Life	NCIS		Cold Case		48 Hours Mystery	News	Ent. Tonight	
(41) Wm. Basketball		Women's College Basketball: Big East First Round			Poker		Final Score	PRIDE Fighting		
(15) "Monster-in-Law" Cont'd		Movie: "Poseidon"			Boxing: Miguel Angel Cotto vs. Oktay Urkal					
(17) Montana	Montana	K Possible	Dragon		Movie: "Max Keeble's Big Move"		Phil	Suite Life	So Raven	
(18) Charlie & Choccola's		Movie: "Major Payne"			MAX on Set		Movie: "V for Vendetta"			
(20) NHL Hockey: Montreal Canadiens at Boston Bruins					Bruins	SportsDesk	Women's College Basketball			
(44) Movie: "Nora Roberts' Carolina Moon"					Movie: "Best Friends"		Medium			
(5) "A Knight's Tale" Cont'd		Movie: "The School of Rock"					Movie: "Mr. Deeds"			
(24) El Tigre	El Tigre	School	Naked	Drake	Mr. Meaty	GrowPains	GrowPains	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	
(25) "Dances With Wolves"		Movie: "Magnum Force"					Movie: "High Plains Drifter"			
(26) Psych		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU	Law Order: CI			
(27) Sell House	Sell House	Flip This House		Flip This House		Flip This House	American Justice			
(12) Funniest	Funniest	Movie: "Throw Momma From the Train"				WGN News at Nine	Sex & City	24		
(39) This Week at War		Special Investigations		Larry King Live		CNN Saturday Night	Special Investigations			

SUNDAY EVENING MARCH 4, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami			Stone Undercover		Red Sox	Red Sox	Without a Trace	
(32) "Independence Day"		Movie: "The Dukes of Hazzard: The Beginning"			Movie: "The Dukes of Hazzard: The Beginning"					
6	Dateline NBC	Grease: You're the One		Deal or No Deal		Apprentice: Los Angeles	News	Sports		
8	Funniest Home Videos	Makeover: Home		Desperate Housewives		Brothers & Sisters	News	Smallville		
10	Nature			Masterpiece Theatre		Charlie Rose				
(22) SportsCtr	NBA Live	NBA Basketball: New Jersey Nets at Philadelphia 76ers				SportsCenter				
(34) Movie: "The Godfather, Part II" Cont'd						Movie: "GoodFellas"				
13	60 Minutes	Amazing Race		Cold Case		Without a Trace	News	Coach		
(41) Basketball	Women's College Basketball: Pac-10 Semifinal				Final Score	Final Score	Poker Dome Challenge			
(15) "Just Like Heaven"		Rome		Rome		Entourage	Entourage	Movie: "Something New"		
(17) Montana	Suite Life	Movie: "Beethoven's 4th"		K Possible		Phil	Sadie	Suite Life	So Raven	
(18) Movie: "Twister" Cont'd		Movie: "She's the Man"					Movie: "Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire"			
(20) NHL Hockey: Boston Bruins at New Jersey Devils					Bruins	SportsDesk	Women's College Basketball			
(44) Movie: "Identity Theft: The Michelle Brown Story"					Movie: "My Baby Is Missing"		Grey's Anatomy			
(5) "Mr. Deeds" Cont'd		Movie: "Legally Blonde"				Movie: "Legally Blonde"				
(24) Drake	Just Jordan	Zoey 101	Unfabulous	GrowPains	GrowPains	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	
(25) Movie: "Hero" Cont'd		Movie: "Splash"					Movie: "Three Amigos!"			
(26) Movie: "Along Came Polly"					Movie: "50 First Dates"		Law & Order: SVU			
(27) Cold Case Files		Intervention		Intervention		Intervention	Crank: Made in America			
(12) Funniest	Funniest	American Idol Rewind		Ultimate Blackjack Tour		WGN News	Replay	Sex & City	Scrubs	
(39) CNN Live Sunday		Special Investigations		Larry King Live		CNN Sunday Night	Special Investigations			

MONDAY EVENING MARCH 5, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil		Jeopardy!	News	Frasier	Frasier	South Park	South Park	
(32) Lincoln Heights		Wildfire			Movie: "Head Over Heels"			The 700 Club		
6	207	Inside	Deal or No Deal		Heroes		The Black Donnellys	News		
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Wife Swap		Supernanny		What About Brian	News		
10	News-Lehrer		Antiques Roadshow		American Experience			C. Rose		
(22) College Basketball: CAA Final -- Teams TBA					College Basketball: West Coast Conference Final		SportsCenter			
(34) CSI: Crime Scn			CSI: Crime Scn		Movie: "Sniper"			Making		
13	Entertain	The Insider	How I Met	The Class	Two Men	Rules	CSI: Miami	News		
(41) Sports	Dest Wild	Poker Superstars			Best Damn Soundbites		Sports	Women's College Basketball		
(15) "The Island" Cont'd		Real Time			Rome		Real Sports	Movie: "Posedon"		
(17) Phil	Suite Life	Movie: "Smart House"			Replace		Life Derek	Phil	Suite Life	So Raven
(18) "The Wash" Cont'd		Movie: "V for Vendetta"					Movie: "Jarhead"			
(20) Red Sox	Red Sox	Walk Off Sox					SportsDesk	Red Sox	SportsDesk	Outdoors
(44) Still Stnd	Still Stnd	Gay	Gay		Movie: "Lies and Crimes"			Desperate Housewives		
(5) Raymond	Raymond	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Family Guy	Family Guy	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	
(24) OddParents	Neutron	SpongeBob	Full House	GrowPains	GrowPains	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	
(25) Movie: "Splash" Cont'd		Movie: "Down and Out in Beverly Hills"				Movie: "Carrie"				
(26) Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU			WWE Monday Night Raw			Law & Order: SVU		
(27) CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami			The Sopranos		The Sopranos	Dog		
(12) Funniest Home Videos		Funniest Home Videos			Funniest Home Videos		WGN News at Nine	Sex & City	Scrubs	
(39) The Situation Room		Paula Zahn Now		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360				

TUESDAY EVENING MARCH 6, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil		Jeopardy!	News	Frasier	Frasier	South Park	South Park	
(32) Smallville		Movie: "Love Don't Cost a Thing"				Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club		
6	207	Inside	Dateline NBC		Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU	News		
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Franklin Graham		Primetime		Boston Legal	News		
10	News-Lehrer		Nova		Frontline			C. Rose		
(22) College Basketball: Mid-Continent Final					College Basketball: Horizon League Final		SportsCenter			
(34) CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn	CSI: NY			
13	Entertain	The Insider	Children's Hospital		The Unit		48 Hours Mystery	News		
(41) Sports	In Focus	Poker Superstars			Top 50 Plays		Sports	Top 50 Plays		
(15) Movie: "Return of the Jedi" Cont'd					The Sopranos		Movie: "Ghosts of Abu Ghraib"	300 1st		
(17) Phil	Suite Life	Movie: "Snow Dogs"					Life Derek	Phil	Suite Life	So Raven
(18) "Renegades" Cont'd		Movie: "Elektra"					Movie: "Billy Madison"		Sex Games	
(20) Outdoors	Outdoors	Poker Challenge		Poker Challenge		SportsDesk	The Buzz	SportsDesk	Outdoors	
(44) Still Stnd	Still Stnd	Reba	Reba		Movie: "Fatal Trust"			Will-Grace	Will-Grace	
(5) Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Sex & City	Sex & City	Friends	Friends	Sex and the City	
(24) OddParents	Neutron	SpongeBob	Full House	GrowPains	GrowPains	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	
(25) Movie: "Carrie" Cont'd		Movie: "Dead Calm"				Movie: "Original Sin"				
(26) Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU			Movie: "2 Fast 2 Furious"			Law Order: CI		
(27) CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami			Dog	Dog	Dog	King Cars	King Cars	
(12) Funniest Home Videos		Funniest	Funniest	Funniest	Funniest	Funniest	WGN News at Nine	Sex & City	Scrubs	
(39) The Situation Room		Paula Zahn Now		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360				

WEDNESDAY EVENING MARCH 7, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil		Jeopardy!	News	Frasier	Frasier	South Park	South Park
(32)	Smallville		Movie: "Steel Magnolias"					Whose?	The 700 Club	
6	207	Inside	Friday Night Lights		Crossing Jordan		Medium		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Lopez	Knights	Jim	In Case	Lost		News	
10	News-Lehrer		America's Ballroom Challenge			American Masters			Charlie Rose	
(22)	College Basketball: Big East First Round				College Basketball: Big East First Round -- Teams TBA				SportsCtr.	
(34)	CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		UFC's Ultimate Fight Night				Pros vs. Joes	
13	Entertain	The Insider	Jericho		Criminal Minds		CSI: NY		News	
(41)	Celtics	NBA Basketball: Houston Rockets at Boston Celtics				Sports		College Basketball	Basketball	
(15)	Just Like	Movie: "Batman Begins"				Real Time			Rome	
(17)	Phil	Suite Life	Movie: "Bob the Butler"			Life Derek		Phil	Suite Life	So Raven
(18)	"Extreme Measures"		Movie: "A History of Violence"				Movie: "V for Vendetta"			
(20)	MLB Preseason Baseball: New York Mets at Boston Red Sox					SportsDesk		Mtn. Report	SportsDesk	SportsPlus
(44)	Still Stnd	Still Stnd	Reba	Reba	"Fighting the Odds: The Marilyn Gambrell Story"			Will-Grace	Will-Grace	
(5)	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	King	King	"National Security"	
(24)	OddParents	Neutron	SpongeBob	Full House	GrowPains	GrowPains	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.
(25)	Movie: "Hidalgo" Cont'd		Movie: "Jeremiah Johnson"					Movie: "The Quiet Man"		
(26)	Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law Order: CI		Law Order: CI	
(27)	CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		The Sopranos		The Sopranos		Dog	
(12)	Funniest Home Videos		Home Imp.		Home Imp.		Becker	Becker	WGN News at Nine	Sex & City
(39)	The Situation Room		Paula Zahn Now		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360			

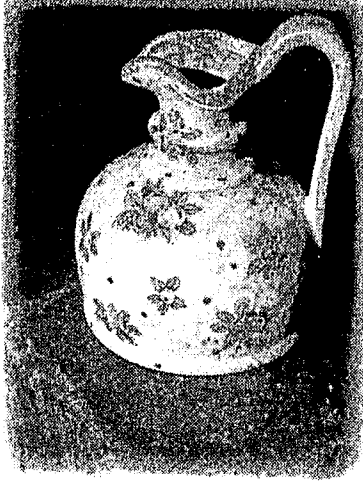
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From Waterford Library

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Books for children and young adults: "Alexander and the Wind-Up Mouse" by Leo Lionni, "Gregor the Overlander" by Suzanne Collins, "The Late Loon" by Dean Bennett, "Pirate Bob" by Kathryn Lasky, "Uno's Garden" by Graeme Base.

The Waterford Library is open to all residents of Waterford. Hours are Monday, 2 to 6 p.m., Wednesday, 3 to 8 p.m., Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

A homebound delivery program is available for Waterford residents. Books will be delivered to residents of the town who are unable to travel to the library for any reason; this includes

people with permanent or temporary disabilities or health problems. A library volunteer will deliver books to participants approximately every three weeks, and books will be renewable by telephoning either the library or the volunteer. To sign up for the program, Waterford residents may call the library at 583-2050 to arrange for this service.

From Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center

Enrollment in the five-session Bethel Historical Society course "Cousin to Cousin" dealing with genealogical methods and sources is growing steadily, but there is still room for additional participants. This course will be led by society life member and veteran genealogist Stephen T. Seames at the society's Regional History Center from 1 to 3:30 p.m. Wednesdays, March 14 through April 11 and provide numerous insights into tracing one's family tree along with some of the pitfalls to avoid in the process. For those wishing to register, please call the society office at 824-2908 or (800) 824-2910. Course fees will be \$15 for members and \$20 for nonmembers and are payable at the first class on March 14.

With nearly 1,400 members, the Bethel Historical Society, founded in 1966, is western Maine's largest and most comprehensive full-time historical agency, dedicated to collecting, preserving, and

interpreting the regional past for present and future generations. For forty years, the society's activities have included lectures, exhibits, special events, heritage festivals, workshops, conferences, school and educational programs, and publications. In 1974, the society acquired the former Broad Street residence of Dr. Moses Mason, which now contains a period house museum, exhibit hall and research library. In 1999, the society opened the O'Neil Robinson House (next door at 10 Broad Street) to the public for an expanded exhibit program, museum shop space, and administrative offices. Through the years, the society's achievements have been recognized by a number of state and national organizations.

Further information about the society and its activities may be obtained by calling 824-2908 or (800) 824-2910, or by sending an e-mail to info@bethelhistorical.org. Additional information can also be obtained by checking the society's website at www.bethelhistorical.org. The society's mailing address is P.O. Box 12, Bethel, ME 04217-0012.

From One Book One Community

The Children's Department at Norway Memorial Library will explore the rich tradition of Chinese storytelling in a program on Thursday, March 8 from 3:15 to 4:30 p.m. Children will listen to several Chinese

folktales and create their own painted story scroll.

The program is for children in grades 3-6, and is part of a series of programs on the history and culture of China offered by Oxford Hills libraries in March for One Book One Community: Oxford Hills Reads.

Space is limited; parents must pre-register by visiting the library or calling 743-5308 by March 7. The Norway Memorial Library is at 258 Main Street.

From Norway Historical Society

It's not often that local organizations can celebrate important anniversaries, but this year the Norway Historical Society will observe two such events. In 2007, the society will be celebrating the 30th anniversary of its incorporation as well as the 25th year of the opening of its museum.

Needless to say, the public will be invited to share in many of the related events. The first of these will be a festive open house to be held Wednesday, March 21, at 7 p.m. at the society's building, 471 Main Street in Norway. More details will be announced as the date approaches.

Although many people have come to believe that Maine's local historical societies have "been there forever," the fact is that local historical societies are quite a recent phenomenon in Maine life. In fact, until the early 1950s there were only eight formally organized historical

societies in the state, and there were none in our area until the Bridgton Historical Society was incorporated in 1964. Within the following decade, Waterford, Paris Hill, Rumford, Bethel, Lovell, Fryeburg, and Harrison incorporated historical societies in the region. The area's newest local historical society is Gilead's, which was formed in January 2005.

In Norway, a group of about fifty citizens met on Oct. 15, 1974, at the Norway Memorial Library for the purpose of organizing an historical society. Over the next three years, the group sponsored a number of events and lectures and became an important part of the town's cultural life. In September 1977, the Norway Savings Bank purchased the property on which its headquarters now stands and offered a house then occupying the lot to the historical society — on condition that the building be moved to some other location. Shortly thereafter, the town donated a lot at the corner of Main and Whitman streets, and events proceeded apace. In order to become an owner of real estate, the group realized that it would need to incorporate, and the Norway Historical Society took on its present legal identity on Nov. 7, 1977.

The society's new home, known as the Mark Pool Smith House, after its original owner, hosted its first historical society meeting on Jan. 16, 1980, but it took two more years to refurbish and outfit the premises to a condition which would allow it to be opened to the public

as a museum. The first public open house in the building was held on Aug. 14, 1982. Over the following years, the society has added extensively to its collection of historical artifacts and, through the efforts of many volunteers, most notably Fr.

Don McAllister, the society has accumulated a local genealogical library of remarkable scope. In addition, the society has sponsored lectures on countless subjects of local and regional interest and maintains a videotape library so that past presentations can be reviewed at any time.

In this important double anniversary year, the Norway Historical Society hopes to attract many new members who will help the organization remain an active part of Norway's present downtown life. This is the best way to assure that the town's history will enjoy a future as dynamic and fascinating as its past.

Don't miss the open house scheduled for Wednesday, March 21. And watch this space for announcements about the year's other upcoming events.

For more information about this article, please contact Larry Glatz at 743-0443 or home at 583-4549, or Ann Siekman at the Norway Memorial Library 743-5309.

From Bethel Senior Citizens

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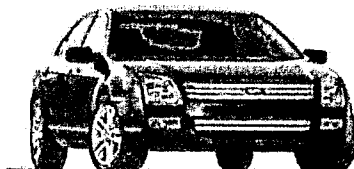
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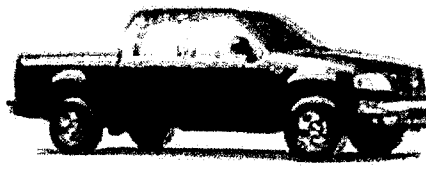


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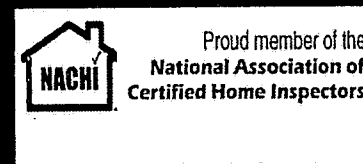
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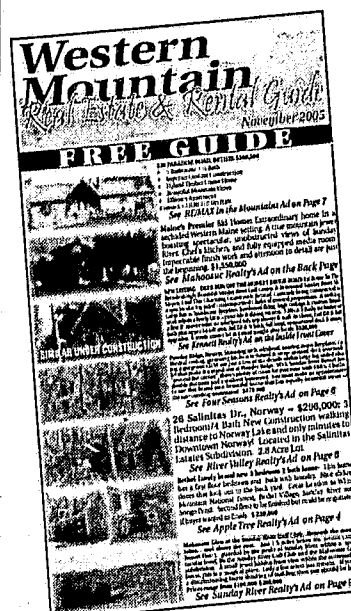
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HOMES

UNDER CONSTRUCTION



42 Goose Eye Drive, Mahoosuc Glen: Spacious, charming home above the hole 8 tees. Along with the spectacular location, this 5 BR/4 bath home features 3,760 square feet, master suite, separate guest quarters and 3-bay garage. \$899,000

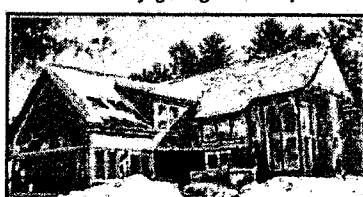
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Sunday River Road: This architecturally stunning home features 5 BRs & 4.5 baths, a floor-to-ceiling indoor/outdoor fireplace, floor-to-ceiling windows, 2 master suites, 2 whirlpool tubs, and more. Home interior professionally designed. \$749,000



33 Douglass Road, Newry: This Contemporary log home is located in one of Sunday River's premier subdivisions. 3 BRs and 2.75 baths, master suite, stone fireplace, cathedral ceilings, hot tub and much more. A must see! \$625,000



4 Franklin Road, Timber Village, Newry: This beautiful log home is less than 2 miles from Sunday River. It features 3 BRs, 2.5 baths, cathedral ceilings, granite counters, maple cabinets, 1st floor master suite, fireplace and finished daylight basement. \$479,000

UNDER CONSTRUCTION



6 Franklin Road, Timber Village, Newry: Douglas fir log home under construction less than 2 miles from Sunday River. It will feature cathedral ceilings, granite counters, maple cabinets, 1st floor master suite, gas fireplace and hot tub hookup. \$429,900



31 Riverwood Drive, Newry: This cozy cabin in the woods has 350+/- feet of Bear River frontage. This ideal four-season home features 3 bedrooms, including master suite/bath, and 2nd full bath. Outdoor space includes a porch, deck and gazebo. \$425,000



Homes at Bear River, Newry: This cedar-sided Contemporary home features ample living space and 260+/- feet of private frontage on the Bear River. Perfectly located between Sunday River and Grafton Notch State Park, the expected completion date is mid-March. \$389,000

NEW LISTING!



Homes at Bear River, Newry: This log-sided home with farmer's porch is nestled on 4 acres in a subdivision with 260+/- feet of private frontage on the Bear River. This 3-bedroom/2.5-bath home is less than 10 minutes from Grafton Notch State Park and to Sunday River. \$369,000



32 Forest Drive, Bethel: This attractive log-sided home sits on more than 5 acres in a subdivision close to Sunday River. Spacious, with 4 BRs and a finished basement - this home can sleep up to 16 people. Sold fully furnished, including hot tub and pool table. \$355,000



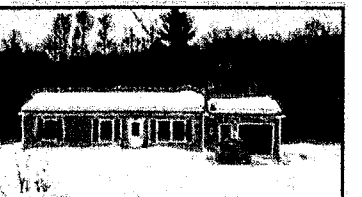
28 Riverwood Drive, Newry: Log-sided Contemporary home with 3 BRs, 3 baths on 3+/- acres in quiet neighborhood. Hot tub, full basement, spacious rooms and stone-encased wood stove in the living room are just some of the features of this quality home. \$340,000



1223 Patch Mountain Rd, Greenwood: Well-maintained 4-bedroom waterfront home with scenic views overlooking Hicks Pond. This single-style farmhouse sits upon 5+/- acres and includes an in-ground pool, 2 car-garage and studio apartment. \$295,000



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I B-208	2 BR/1 Bth	\$209,900
I B-401	2 BR/1 Bth	\$209,900
I B-106	2 BR/1 Bth	\$210,000

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B-6	3 BR/1.5 Bth	SOLD
B-4	1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD

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B-408	1 BR/1 Bth	\$149,900
B-218	1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
B-405	1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
B-412	1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
A-406	1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD

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B-16	Studio/1 Bth	\$95,000
C-8	1 BR/1 Bth	\$165,000
B-15	Studio/1 Bth	PENDING
A-24	1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
B-25	1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
C-11	1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD

LOCKE MOUNTAIN

A-3	3 BR/2.75 Bth	\$479,000
A-8	3 BR/2.75 Bth	SOLD
C-1	3 BR/3.75 Bth	SOLD
A-2	3 BR/3.5 Bth	SOLD
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NPII-203	2 BR/1 Bth	\$208,900
NPI-111	2 BR/1 Bth	\$215,000
NPIII-210	2 BR/1 Bth	\$215,000
NPI-304	2 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
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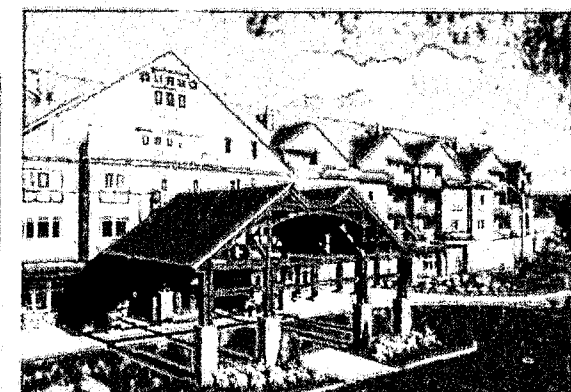
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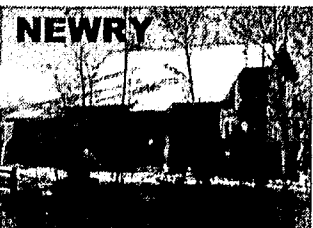


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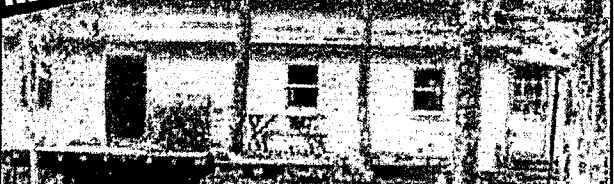
Birch Woods, Bethel: Custom cape w/outstanding 1st-class quality of construction & superior materials throughout. Builder's own house w/attention to every detail: birch hardwood & custom tile floors, granite countertops, high-end appliances, maple cabinets, real stone fireplace, custom trim, heated 2-car garage... & MORE! 4BR's, 4 baths, master suite w/whirlpool tub, tons of storage space, mahogany farmer's porch, deck & even a screened porch w/kyogaki! Located between Bethel and Sunday River Ski Resort—only 3 miles from either downtown shopping or the slopes! See our website for a complete list of this home's amenities. \$464,000

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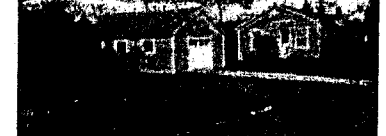
Riverfront, Newry/Ilanover Town Line: 4BR plus office house on a breathtaking Androscoggin River setting w/2 kitchens & family rooms giving the option for two-family living. Tons of built-ins, an abundance of closets, 2 lg. laundry rooms, 3 car garage w/workshop & too many amenities to list. Views from wrap-around deck & extensive windows are of the gorgeous wide bend in the river on your 100 ft. of frontage. Launch your canoe or kayak from your own riverbank or watch the abundant wildlife. Only 3 short miles from the Sunday River Rd. This one is definitely worth a look! \$349,900

NEW LISTING



Twitcheil Brook, Greenwood: Year-round camp w/central heating, in a beautiful woods setting with swift-moving brook! Be surrounded by nature and away from civilization yet still quickly accessible to town—how can you ask for more? 300 feet of frontage on Twitcheil Brook, complete with a bridge to the other side! Perfect for fishing, hunting or just relaxing by the large brook. This property is everything that you want in a Maine four seasons camp! \$139,000

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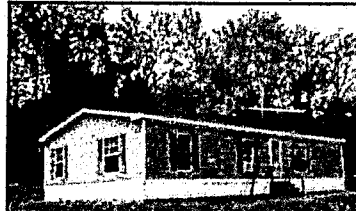


Rte. 219, Sumner: Neat-as-a-pin 2BR plus office ranch, complete w/hardwood floors, knotty pine, porch, garage, perennials and gorgeous 1.7 acre lot. Beautiful extra-large backyard with rolling mountain view, back boundary brook, nicely landscaped w/mature trees & conveniently located within walking distance to town. Very well maintained—a nice, solid starter home, or perfect for someone looking for one-floor living. Don't drive by this one; call us for a look. \$119,900

UNDER CONTRACT!



Railroad Street, Bryant Pond: This vintage dwelling on a 1.3 acre intown lot is a definite fixer upper, being sold "as is". Also could be a very nice lot for a new house or mobile home. Within walking distance of Lake Christopher, library and convenience stores. \$39,900



Paradise Rd, Bethel: Nice, high quality 3BR, 2 full bath double-wide ranch home, only 5 yrs. young, in a preferred neighborhood of Bethel! Spacious living areas, eat-in kitchen, separate dining room, master bedroom suite with Jacuzzi tub, first floor laundry, all on a full acre. Located just down the road from downtown Bethel, dining, shopping, golf and, of course, only minutes from the slopes of Sunday River. You can't go wrong at this price! \$137,900



Gore Road, Woodstock: Love the outdoors & looking for open space? This 3 yr old Meadowlark Valley home on a beautiful 3.5 acre lot with a spring bird sanctuary, mature wildflower fields & garden space, mtn ridge views w/panoramic foliage in fall, & plenty of open space for winter's country skiing & snowmobiling right from your door! Expansive w/outh-facing windows & 30' screened porch for unlimited star gazing plus cathedral ceilings, country kitchen w/wood island, built-in gas cooktop, mudroom entry, deck & much more. Multiple lakes nearby & only 3 min to Mt. Abram or 15 min to Sunday River. More land available. \$248,500



Crockett Ridge Rd, Norway: Sunny, large, open-concept 10 yr old cape w/room for a large family, in a fantastic location on 2.8 acres. Gleaming maple floors, wonderful kitchen w/whar, 4BR's, 2 full baths, daylight basement w/stone fireplace, 2nd floor laundry, beautiful hardwood & tile floors throughout, paved driveway & much, much more. Just a few minutes drive to downtown Bethel and close to skiing, golf, hiking, snowmobiling & all local recreation and amenities. This is a truly special property—make it your own! \$239,900

UNDER CONTRACT!



Taylor Woods, Bethel: Custom country cape w/outstanding 1st-class quality of construction & superior materials throughout. Builder's own house w/attention to every detail: hardwood & tile floors, granite countertops, high-end appliances, real stone fireplace, 6-zone radiant heat, prep work backup gen-tran, all copper plumbing, mahogany deck, custom trim, full windows, insulated 2-car garage w/workbench, & MORE! 4BR's, 4 baths, master suite w/whirlpool tub, private, extra-large corner acreage has easy access to the road that leads to Mt. Abram Skiway. Bethel & Sunday River Resort are only a few short miles away. Still time to make lay-out decisions & pick paint colors, so come sit with us and go over the blueprints. \$359,900



So. Main St., Bryant Pond: Large, pretty 1.6 acre lot, 200 feet of frontage on Rte. 26 and LAKE VIEW! With TLC and imagination, this "fixer-upper" has plenty of potential. Two stories with 44 BR's, 1 1/2 baths and a detached garage w/picture window which offers retail or office opportunities. Nice stone wall on property & view of Lake Christopher across the street! Walk to village amenities & boat launch. \$84,900



Schoolhouse Rd, Greenwood: Historic schoolhouse renovated into a cute, open floor plan 2BR home. Fantastic high ceilings, wainscoting, lots of sunny new windows, beautifully appointed & the list of just-completed renovations is extensive. Two decks, shed, detached garage & potential for expansion! Swimming, boating & lakes are nearby, with Mt. Abram & Sunday River Resort just a few minutes away. Located in a nice spot surrounded by hills, you can't go wrong with this adorable home in the perfect peaceful retreat. This adorable home is the perfect peaceful retreat. This adorable home is the perfect peaceful retreat. \$139,900



Vernon St, Bethel: Bright, sunny, sparkling new home built w/white-on-white interiors for low maintenance. Looking for a relaxing second home or primary location? This 3BR, 2 bath home is designed for comfort & very little upkeep. Wrap around balcony, 1st floor laundry, beautiful hardwood & tile floors throughout, paved driveway & much, much more. Just a few minutes drive to downtown Bethel and close to skiing, golf, hiking, snowmobiling & all local recreation and amenities. This is a truly special property—make it your own! \$239,900



Off Richardson Hollow Rd, Greenwood: Best of both worlds conveniently located near West Paris & Rte. 219 but away from it all, on an enormous, private, scenic 100 acre lot w/wonderful tree views from every angle! This house boasts 5 BR's, master w/whit, 2 1/2 baths, fieldstone beam w/woodwork, wide pine floors, french doors to screened porch, new 1st floor laundry, backup generator, new deck & more. Snowmobile right from your ski area and more are just a few minutes away. This is a truly special property—make it your own! \$329,000

OUR LOG HOME LISTINGS FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION:



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South Pond Shores, Greenwood: New chalet on over 7 acres with DEEDED LAKE ACCESS to South Pond, a large beach and a boat dock! Log-sided construction with lots of glass, 3BR's, 2 baths, stone fireplace, cathedral ceilings, stainless kitchen, large deck w/rolling stairs & room to expand in the future, daylight basement. This private, extra-large corner acreage has easy access to the road that leads to Mt. Abram Skiway. Bethel & Sunday River Resort are only a few short miles away. Still time to make lay-out decisions & pick paint colors, so come sit with us and go over the blueprints. \$350,000



English Woods, Bethel: Positioned to take advantage of sunny, rolling tree views, this brand-new log-sided chalet is truly a four-season home. Exterior on the large log-railed deck or cozy up in front of the stone fireplace. Roomy 3 BR's, 2 full baths, 1st floor laundry, lots of closets, extra-large deck & lot of glass overlooking the mtn. ranges. Check out all the inside and outside photos on our website & make an appointment to see it all in person. \$224,900



Hillside-A-View Hills, Bethel: Located just before arriving into downtown Bethel, this brand new house couldn't be more convenient for shopping, dining, golf & skiing. Attractive log-sided 3BR, 2 bath with fireplace, lots of sunny windows & a large deck overlooking fantastic mountain views all the way to Mt. Abram Skiway! Only minutes from Sunday River Ski & Golf Resort, it's the perfect setting for a new all-season chalet, so ask us for a tour! \$249,900



Log Cabin Lane, Greenwood: Located on a beautiful 3.5 acre lot with a spring bird sanctuary, mature wildflower fields & garden space, mtn ridge views w/panoramic foliage in fall, & plenty of open space for winter's country skiing & snowmobiling right from your door! Expansive w/outh-facing windows & 30' screened porch for unlimited star gazing plus cathedral ceilings, country kitchen w/wood island, built-in gas cooktop, mudroom entry, deck & much more. Multiple lakes nearby & only 3 min to Mt. Abram or 15 min to Sunday River. More land available. \$248,500



Vernon St, Bethel: Sparkling new log-sided home with welcoming front porch—just a few minutes from downtown Bethel, this 3BR, 2 bath home is just being completed. Hardwood & tile floors, stone fireplace for gathering, "apex" ski, sunny open floor plan, main & 1st floor laundry, 2nd floor laundry, full kitchen, snowmobile right from your ski area and more are just a few minutes away. This is a truly special property—make it your own! \$199,900



South Pond Shores, Greenwood: Magnificent custom log-sided home, just completed & being sold w/attention to every detail: birch hardwood & custom tile floors, granite countertops, high-end appliances, real stone fireplace, 6-zone radiant heat, prep work backup gen-tran, all copper plumbing, mahogany deck, custom trim, full windows, insulated 2-car garage w/workbench, & MORE! 4BR's, 4 baths, master suite w/whirlpool tub, private, extra-large corner acreage has easy access to the road that leads to Mt. Abram Skiway. Bethel & Sunday River Resort are only a few short miles away. Still time to make lay-out decisions & pick paint colors, so come sit with us and go over the blueprints. \$350,000



India's Way at Mt. Abram Skiway: Views, views, views! A true log home on over 2 1/2 acres, at the Skisway, w/incredible mountain views! The interior of this 3BR chalet will also win you over: cathedral & beamed ceilings, hardwood floors, tiled bathroom floors, built-in dresser drawers, loft office, first floor laundry, lots of closets, extra-large deck & lot of glass overlooking the mtn. ranges. Check out all the inside and outside photos on our website & make an appointment to see it all in person. \$269,900



Hiberty Lane, Just off Bethel/Vernon St: This new house is finished & waiting for its lucky new owner. Only 3 short miles from downtown Bethel, down down Vernon St, it's a beautiful 3BR, 2 bath log-sided home w/woodwork & tile floors, fantastic stainless kitchen & first floor laundry. Huge lot, mtn views & the best goes on... Even direct access to snowmobile trails & mtn views from the upper floor! 1st floor laundry, 2nd floor laundry, full kitchen, snowmobile right from your ski area and more are just a few minutes away. This is a truly special property—make it your own! \$249,900



Off Rte. 26, Bryant Pond: Conveniently located on a nice, high 2.4 acre wooded lot in stone walls, this log-sided house w/white-on-white interiors for low maintenance. Looking for a relaxing second home or primary location? This 3BR, 2 bath home is designed for comfort & very little upkeep. Wrap around balcony, 1st floor laundry, beautiful hardwood & tile floors throughout, paved driveway & much, much more. Just a few minutes drive to downtown Bethel and close to skiing, golf, hiking, snowmobiling & all local recreation and amenities. This is a truly special property—make it your own! \$239,900

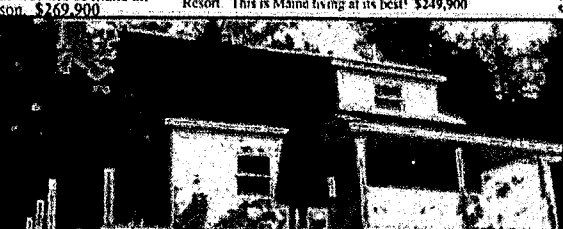


Near Westside Lodge, Mt. Abram, Greenwood: Within walking distance of Mt. Abram's Westside Lodge, this brand new log-sided chalet is the perfect place for all winter sports, spring skiing, summer lake activities just down the road and fall hiking thru the foliage. Large deck for entertaining, stone fireplace for chilly nights, 3BR, 2 full baths, sunny & open rooms and a walk-out basement to the wooded backyard. Call and ask for a showing today. \$249,000



SIMILAR UNDER CONSTRUCTION

Halley Lane, Bethel: Just off the Intervale Rd., this under-construction 3BR, 2 full bath log-sided chalet is less than three short miles from everything that downtown Bethel has to offer & just minutes from Sunday River Resort—perfect location for the primary or secondary home of your dreams! Cathedral ceilings, lots of sunny windows, blonde natural wood interior, stone fireplace, open great room layout, stainless appliances, walk-out basement w/room for expansion & lg. log-railed deck are just some of this home's many features. Still time to make some material & color decisions! \$274,900



English Woods Drive, Bethel: Looking for a new log-sided home w/instant views? Look no further—this is the one. Hardwood & tiled floors, upgraded stainless appliances, kitchen island w/wine fridge, surround sound, gas stone fireplace, enclosed porch, partially finished walk-out basement and mountain views from the glass front & deck that you will just love. Pretty new subdivision off the Intervale Rd. is an easy few miles to downtown Bethel & Sunday River Resort. Also nearby are river, lake and Mt. Abram Ski Area recreation. Completion date is soon so call us to take a look. \$259,900



Timberline, Sunday River Slopeside, Newry: Unparalleled on-mountain location & trail views from this 4300+ sq.ft. log lodge currently under construction. Magnificent, overly spacious 5BR, 5 bath grand home, including 2 master suites, 3 fireplaces, loft area, family/game room, wet bar, mudroom, att'd garage & 70' entertaining deck overlooking the slopes & mtn. views! Soaring cathedral ceilings w/fireplace in the open concept great room lead to the stunning cook's kitchen w/granite & high-end amenities including a huge walk-in pantry. Lot is nicely wooded for privacy & beauty, yet within walking distance to the ski lifts & The Phoenix. Spectacular offering like no other! \$992,000

LAND

LOTS 1 & 5 COUNTRYSIDE ACRES, BETHEL: Two corner lots with road frontage on the East Bethel Rd & Countryside Lane. New, small, very nice subdivision of new log homes w/nicely wooded lots, easy-to-work sandy soils & centrally located w/quick access to Bethel, ski areas, lakes and ponds. This is the place for YOUR future log home! OWNER FINANCING AVAILABLE \$42,900 each

INTERVALE RD. BETHEL: With views of Sunday River Ski Resort and the Androscoggin River, this parcel of land is a slice of heaven. Over 22 acres of land to build your dream home or vacation get away. Only minutes to Sunday River or Mt. Abram for winter fun, with lakes and ponds nearby for summer recreation! This has it all! Call to view this incredible property before it is too late! \$89,900

FULLER HILL ESTATES, BRYANT POND: Wonderful 5 acre lot with views, in a new subdivision high on a hill in Woodstock. Over 700' of road frontage for privacy and convenient power at street. Location is close to village, with Mt. Abram, Bethel and Sunday River just a few short miles away. You'll really like this lot! \$52,900

LOT #13 GRAND VIEW, BETHEL: Mountain views and spectacular sunsets are waiting for you from this parcel. You will love the convenience of the Grand View Subdivision just off the Intervale Road only minutes from the town of Bethel & Sunday River Resort. This lot offers over an acre to build your very own get away or your dream home. \$39,000

#6 STONEYFIELDS SUBDIVISION, GREENWOOD: If a beautiful view is what you're looking for, look no further! This brand new subdivision boasts spectacular views of the western mountains. Open, level 1.62 acre building lot with a location close to Mt. Abram Ski Area. Last lot left! \$68,000

LOTS#2 & #4 BIRCH WOODS, BETHEL: Perfect lots in a perfect location just waiting for your blueprints. Positioned halfway between Bethel & Sunday River Resort, you'll have the best of both worlds! Three miles from downtown dining, shopping & golf one way, and only four miles from jumping on the ski lift the other way! Underground utilities, stone walls, excellent layout & soon-to-be paved roads make each of these 2 acre lots premiere. \$80,000 each

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SUNDAY RIVER SKI HOUSE

Great 3 bedroom 2 bath ski house, ride to the lifts and local amenities on the free shuttle in the winter, lots of storage, game/bonus room on lower level. Most furnishings included. \$209,000



NEW LISTING!

HOWARD POND COTTAGE

Exceptional waterfront property located on pristine Howard Pond. Open floor plan with stone fireplace and lots of glass overlooking the pond. Expansive deck and dock system. A very special four season waterfront property! \$379,000



NEW LISTING!

MOUNTAIN RETREAT

Warm log cabin charm with wood burning stone fireplace. Large loft overlooking living space. Open kitchen/dining/living area. 4 bedroom, 4 bathroom with master suite on main. Finished basement. 2-car garage. \$370,000



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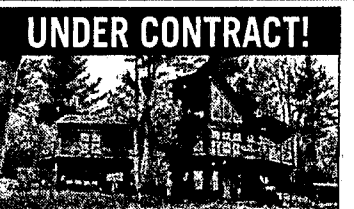
Private residence plus an energy efficient 2 bedroom rental house and an oversized 2 car garage. 50's dinner style kitchen with lots of detail. Many unique and interesting details \$339,000



NEW LISTING!

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Break the rent habit with this diamond in the rough located within 20 minutes to Sunday River Ski Resort, Little Richardson Lake, Silver Lake and Roxbury Pond. Snow mobile trails just a stone's throw away. \$79,900



UNDER CONTRACT!

AMAZING VIEWS

Beautiful 3 bedroom Lincoln Log home with fieldstone fireplace, cherry cabinets, hardwood floors, tile and heated 2 bay garage. Situated on 10 private acres with westerly views. An outdoor enthusiast's dream. \$520,000



PAMPERED CAPE

Attractive 3 bedroom cape, partially finished walk out basement, brick fireplace, oak floors in open kitchen/dining area. 1st floor bedroom. Nice quiet lot near the Androscoggin River about 5 miles from town Bethel. \$232,000



WELL APPOINTED CAPE

Beautifully appointed 3 BR cape conveniently located minutes from Bethel Village, skiing and golfing. Fabulously decorated w/ meticulous landscaping and spectacular westerly views. Perfect year round or weekend retreat. \$379,900



BETHEL LOG CABIN

Three bedroom / 1 bath log cabin situated on a road just minutes from North Pond and Mt Abram Ski Area. Set on approximately 3.25 private acres. \$165,000



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Four bedroom year round cottage on a private cove on Lake Christopher PLUS a one bedroom year round guest cabin. New drilled well and septic system. Don't hesitate. \$234,900



COTTAGE STYLE HOME

Custom built home with many attractive features. Open kitchen/living area with cathedral ceiling. Tile floors, custom headboard and cherry kitchen cabinets. Very energy efficient. \$169,500



SKI AND BOAT!

Four Season home located on North Pond with panoramic views of Mount Abram. Dock included. Boat under bridges for access to North and South Ponds. Home recently renovated, sun porch, hardwood flrs, wainscoting and much more! \$375,000



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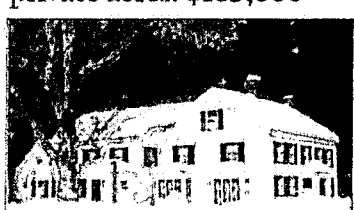
NEW LOG SIDED HOME

Currently under construction, finished late 2006. 3 BR log sided home just south of downtown Bethel and 15 mins. to skiing and golf at Sunday River. Unfinished daylight basement with potential for additional BR or family room. \$239,000



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18th Century center chimney cape w/ easy access to Sunday River. Many recent improvements. 5 fireplaces, beautiful hardwood floors, spacious attached carriage house and restored barn with cupola. Unlimited possibilities and potential. \$379,000



SKI AND GOLF VIEWS

Spectacular views of Sunday River Ski Resort and the Sunday River Golf Club, this spacious 6 bedroom home is the perfect getaway for those looking for space, rental opportunities and privacy \$449,000



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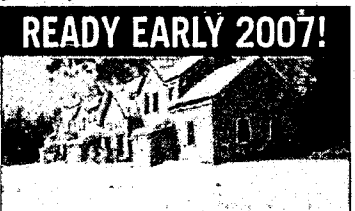
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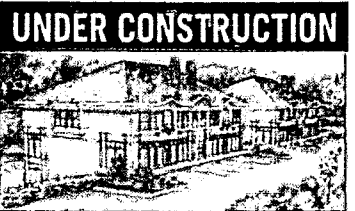
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	B-108	2 Bdrm/1 Bath		\$224,900
	BROOKSIDE BUILDING II	A-216	Studio/1 Bath	\$89,900
		A-214	Studio/1 Bath	\$92,500
B-111	1 Bdrm/1 Bath		\$124,900	
	A-306	1 Bdrm/1 Bath		\$139,900
B-306	1 Bdrm/1 Bath		\$149,900	
	FALL LINE	E-216	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$129,900
S-102		1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$144,900	
LOCKE MOUNTAIN		N-2	4 Bdrm/3.5 Bath	\$650,000
	O-4	4 Bdrm/3.75 Bath	\$699,900	
	L-3	4 Bdrm/3.5 Bath	\$699,900	
D-1	4 Bdrm/3.75 Bath		\$729,900	
	MERRILL BROOK	3C	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$164,900
3D		1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	
NORTHPEAK	III-109	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$215,000	
	III-303	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	
SUNRISE	C-116	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$146,000	
	SOUTH RIDGE	I-4	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$269,900
B-2		2 Bdrm/1.5 Bath	\$275,000	
B-3	2 Bdrm/2 Bath		\$299,000	
	WHITE CAP	A-305	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$137,500
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Obituaries



RALPH CHARLTON HOY

Ralph Charlton Hoy, age 89, resident of Greenwood, died after a long illness at the Maine Veterans' Home in South Paris on Feb. 23, 2007.

Ralph was born in Worcester, Mass., on Dec. 12, 1917, the son of the Rev. Leonard and Elizabeth Charlton Hoy. He spent most of his early childhood in Peru, South America, where his parents served as missionaries with the Christian and Missionary Society. He continued his education at Briggs Corner, Attleboro, Mass., Deering High School (Class of '35) and Westbrook Junior College, Portland, graduating with a degree in tool making.

He worked as a toolmaker at Saco-Lowell Co. in Biddeford until he joined the Navy in WWII, serving as a torpedo man. Upon completion of his tour of duty, he continued working at Hollbrook Co., Attleboro, as a toolmaker. He later joined Augat Inc. of Attleboro as head toolmaker and inventor. He was soon promoted to Vice President in charge of production, retiring at the age of 57.

In 1944, he married Vivian Young at Glenwood Baptist Church in Portland. They had two sons, Leonard J. Hoy II and Douglas J. Hoy.

Ralph was a person of outstanding integrity and personal honor. He willingly and quietly gave of himself and his means to be of help to others. His gentle humor was a hallmark of his personality.

He was a skilled craftsman and inventor and specialized in problem solving. He enjoyed swimming, boating, fishing and skiing. After retiring, he remodeled several houses and built furniture. He and his

wife are members of the Bethel Christian and Missionary Alliance Church.

Ralph is survived by his wife, Vivian; his two sons, Leonard J. Hoy and his wife Cathy (Littlefield) Hoy and Douglas J. Hoy and his wife Cecelia (Pope) Hoy of Bethel; his grandson, Michael J. Hoy and his wife Megan (Bailey) Hoy of Jacksonville, Fla.; and his granddaughters, Patricia Game of Buckfield and Krista (Hoy) Zegouros and her husband Nicholas of Poland, Maine.

The family wants especially to thank the staff at the Maine Veterans' Home, South Paris, for the loving care and affection in which Ralph was blessed to have spent his last years. All that you did made his passage from this life to Eternity's joys a gentle one not only for him but for those of us who remain.

The family requests that in lieu of flowers donations be made to the Oxford Hills Christian Academy, P.O. Box 318, South Paris, ME 04281. Attn: Nancy Hanson.

Visiting hours will be held at the Greenleaf Funeral Home, 37 Vernon Street, Bethel, on Friday evening, March 2 from 6 to 8 p.m. with funeral services to be held at the Bethel Alliance Church on Saturday, March 3, at 11 a.m. with Pastor Kevin Bellinger officiating. Spring burial will be in the Riverside Cemetery, Bethel.



VERA E. CRESSY

Vera Elizabeth Cressy, 89, of South Paris, joined her Lord, Saturday, Feb. 24, 2007 at Market Square Health Care Center, South Paris.

She was born in Boothbay on July 25, 1917 the daughter

of Captain Leonard and Cora (Gray) Blake. She graduated from Boothbay Harbor High School, before attending Gorham Normal School where she studied for three years to be an elementary school teacher.

She married Donald M. Cressy on June 22, 1940 and would have celebrated their 67th anniversary this June.

After raising her family, she received her bachelor's degree in education from Rhode Island College. She taught for 20 years in the Wakefield, R.I., school system. After living in South Kingstown, R.I., for close to 50 years, Vera and her husband moved to Heritage Heights/Havenwood Retirement Community in Concord, N.H., where they lived for 10 years.

In 2004, they moved back home to Maine (she was so proud of being a "Mainer"), so that they could be closer to their older son, Allen and his wife. She had resided at Market Square Health Care Center since moving back to Maine.

For the past 30 years, Vera treasured the summer months she spent with her husband and family at the family cottage at Ocean Point, Boothbay. She enjoyed her children and grandchildren, flower gardening, walking, reading, crafts and traveling. She was a longtime member of the East Boothbay Methodist Church and Order of the Eastern Star also in East Boothbay. She was a member of the Arbutus Flower Garden Club in Rhode Island.

She is survived by her husband, Donald M. Cressy of South Paris; children, Allen Cressy and his wife Jacqueline of Bethel, Janice Greenleaf and her husband Richard of Gorham, Donna Quinn

and her husband Terrance of Merrimack, N.H. and Mark Cressy and his wife Karen Co-meau of Winchester, Mass.; six grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by her brothers and sisters, Donald Blake, Arthur Blake, Mildred Saywood, Louise Coffin and Carlton Blake.

A memorial service, celebrating Vera's life, will be held at the East Boothbay Methodist Church (Route 96, East Boothbay) on Saturday, March 24 at 2 p.m. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made in memory of Vera to the East Boothbay Methodist Church (PO Box 11, East Boothbay, ME 04544). Online condolences may be shared with her family at www.westonchandler.com.

THOMAS R. BARTHOLOMEW

Thomas R. Bartholomew, 93, of Bear River Road, Newry died at Russell Park Manor in Lewiston on Feb. 25, 2007.

He was born in Boston, Mass. on July 22, 1913, the son of Samuel and Jeanne Bartholomew.

Tom had worked for Boise Cascade for over 30 years before he retired and for the Forestry Service in Bethel for 10 years after his retirement.

He is survived by three sons, Samuel Bartholomew of Centennial, Colo., Robert Bartholomew of Newry and John Wight of Newry; two daughters, Priscilla Buck of Augusta, Ga. and Jean Crowley of Turner; one brother, Ralph Bartholomew of Gorham, 12 grandchildren; and several great grandchildren.

Graveside services will be held in the spring at the Powers Cemetery in Newry. Arrangements under the direction of Greenleaf Funeral Home, 37 Vernon St., Bethel.



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Births

Stephanie Gould of Bethel is pleased to announce the arrival of a baby girl, Yvette Jayde Gould, born on Jan. 12, 2007 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 6 pounds, 4 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Ben Conant and Carol Gould of South Paris.

Yvette Jayde joins sisters Wyllow Rayne, age 5 1/2 and Wynter Skye, age 1.

Marcy and Myron Winslow are proud to announce the birth of a baby boy, Hunter LaForest Winslow, born Jan. 15, 2007 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 7 pounds, 10 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Muriel Knightly and Richard Tyler of Woodstock.

Paternal grandparents are Myron and Carol Winslow of Woodstock.

Benjamin and Samantha Byam of Rumford Point are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby boy, Julien Carter, born on Jan. 31, 2007 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 8 pounds, 4 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Brian and April Jamison of Mexico.

Paternal grandparents are George Byam of Mexico and Norma Hodsdon of Dover Foxcroft.

Julien joins his brother, Jonah Benjamin, age 2 1/2.

Elizabeth Buck and Phillip Dougherty of Bethel are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby boy, Zachary Andrew Dougherty, born on Feb. 6, 2007, at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 7 pounds, 5 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Rose Buck and Leroy Buck of Bethel. Paternal grandparents are Michael and Debra Dougherty of Germantown, N.Y.

Zachary joins a brother, Brandon Dougherty, age 8.

Kevin and Jane Billings of West Paris are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby girl, Sophie Marie Billings, born on Feb. 10, 2007 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 7 pounds, 4 ounces.

Paternal grandparents are Jean Corriveau of Lewiston and the late Roger Corriveau Sr.

Paternal grandparents are David Billings of West Paris and the late Judy Billings.

Sophie joins her brother Ryan, age 13.

Todd and Elizabeth Wing are pleased to announce the birth of their son, Roman John, born Feb. 1, 2007. Roman weighed 5 pounds, 13 ounces and was 18 3/4 inches long.

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